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SONIC



THE HEDGEHOG

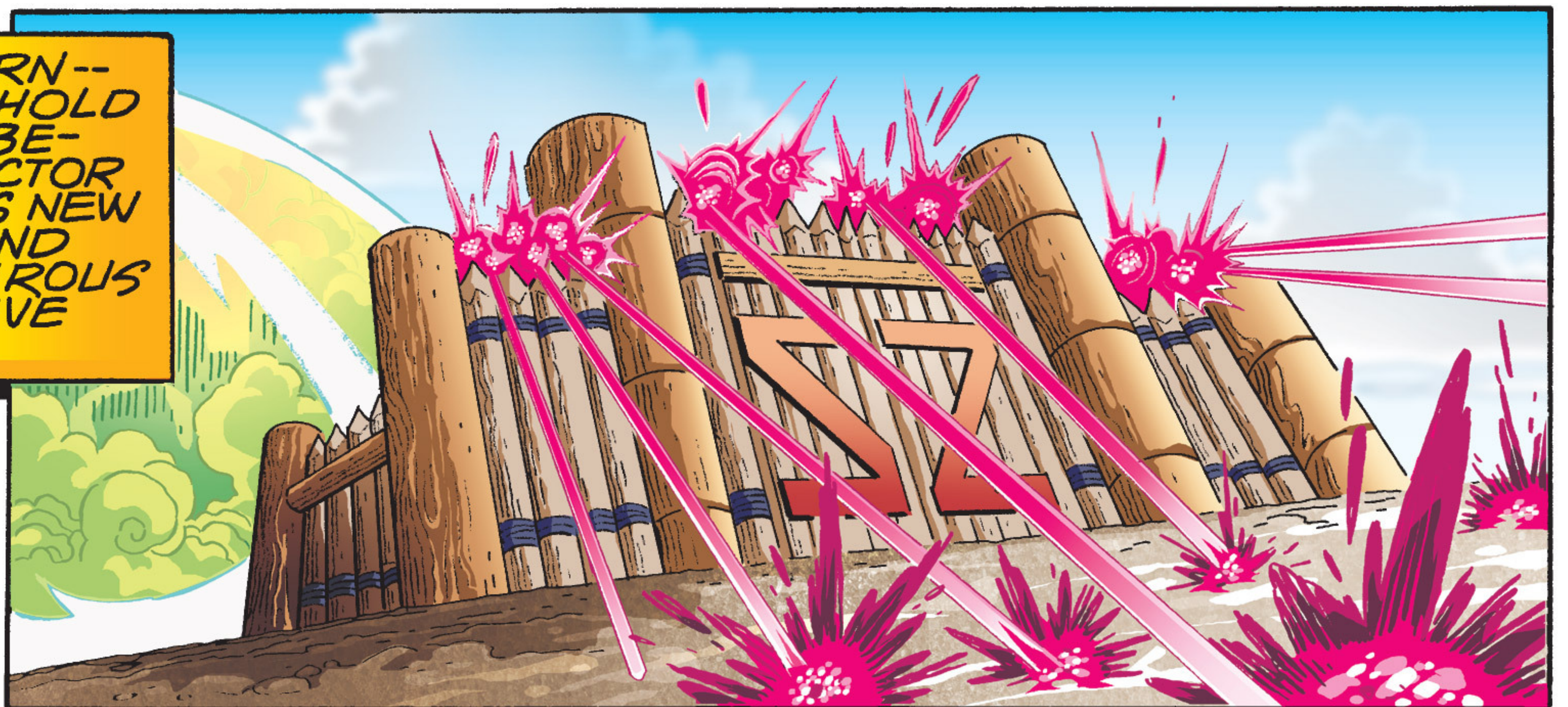


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FORT ACORN--A STRONGHOLD STANDING BETWEEN DOCTOR EGGMAN'S NEW CAPITAL AND THE DANGEROUS RADIOACTIVE SLAG.

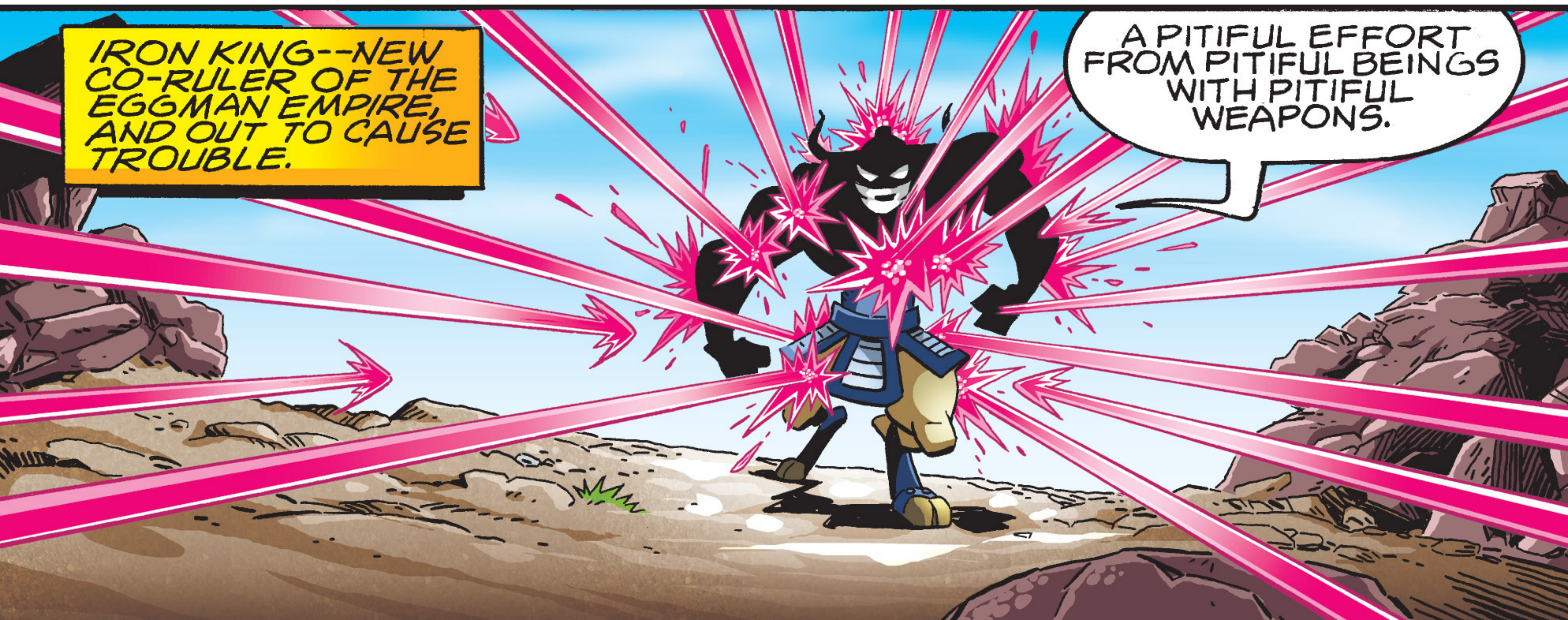


COMMANDER AMADEUS PROWER--THE MILITARY LEADER IN CHARGE OF PROTECTING MOBIUS FROM THOSE WHO WOULD MISUSE THE CITY'S RUINS.



KEEP FIRING! THE BOWS AND ARROWS MAY HAVE FAILED US, BUT WITH THESE, HE'S BOUND TO FALL!

IRON KING--NEW CO-RULER OF THE EGGMAN EMPIRE, AND OUT TO CAUSE TROUBLE.



A PITIFUL EFFORT FROM PITIFUL BEINGS WITH PITIFUL WEAPONS.



HA
HA HA!
I AM THE
CLIFFS AND
YOU ARE THE
WAVES!

YOU
STRIKE
AND
BREAK
AGAINST
ME!

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HERO OF MOBIUS



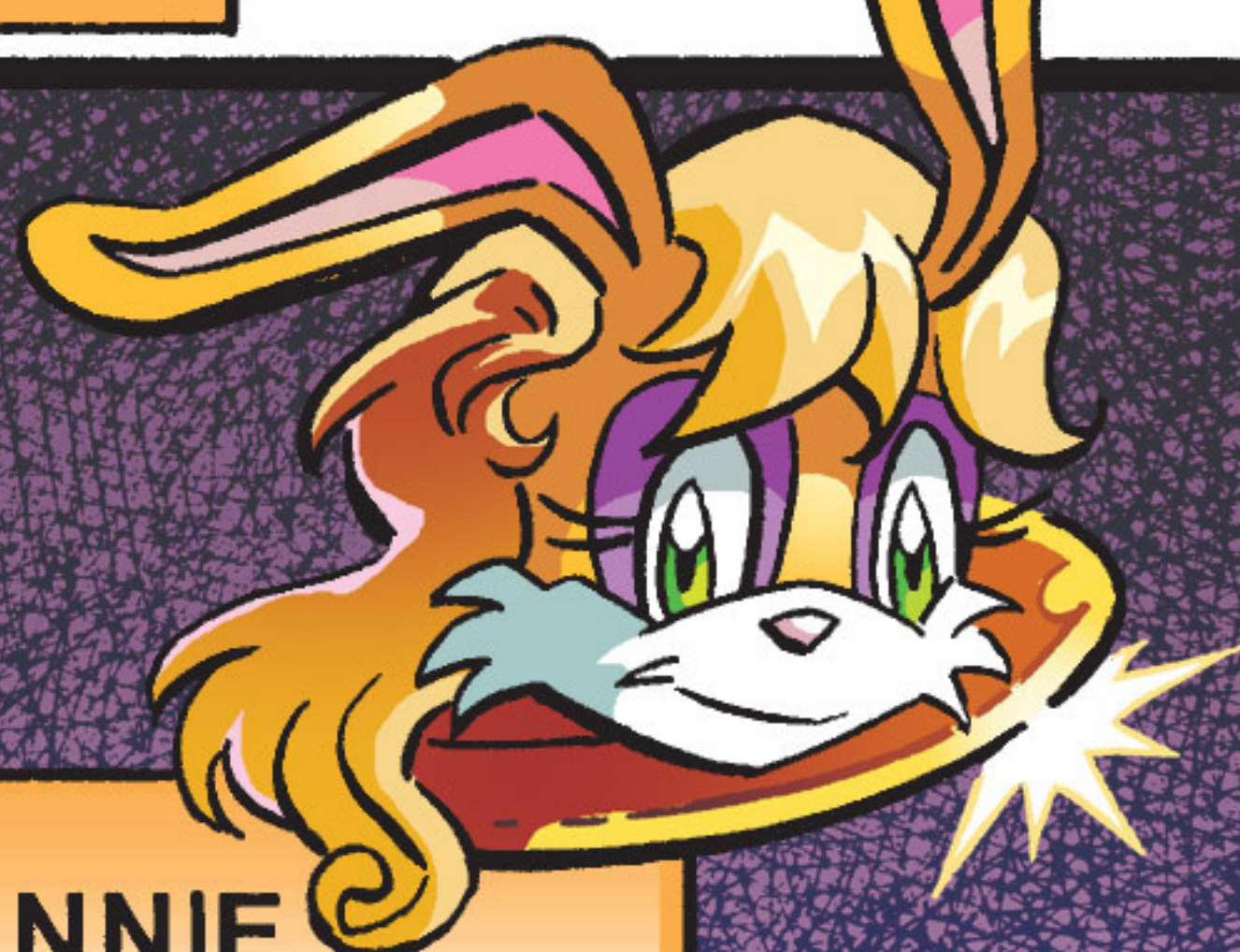
**MONKEY
KHAN**



Cybernetic
Warrior



JUN KUN
The Iron King



**BUNNIE
D'COOLETTE**
SALLY'S
BEST
FRIEND



**SALLY
ACORN**
LOVELORN PRINCESS

NEW MOBOTROPOLIS
--MARKETPLACE.

...AND ONCE SONIC WAS BACK FROM OUTER SPACE,* WE'VE MORE OR LESS BEEN FUNCTIONING LIKE THE OLD DAYS.

I'M HONESTLY AMAZED, SALLY. AFTER ALL YOU AND YOUR FREEDOM FIGHTERS HAVE FACED, YOU'RE STILL TOGETHER.

...FOR THE MOST PART.

I'M SORRY. I DIDN'T MEAN TO...

NO, IT'S OKAY, REALLY.

SONIC AND I HAVE PATCHED UP OUR FRIENDSHIP.

BUT THAT WAS MOSTLY HIS DOING. I WAS IN A BAD WAY BACK THEN, BUT I SHOULDN'T HAVE ENDED THINGS LIKE THAT.** ALL THE CREDIT GOES TO HIM FOR BEING THE BIGGER PERSON.

NO.

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WHAT?

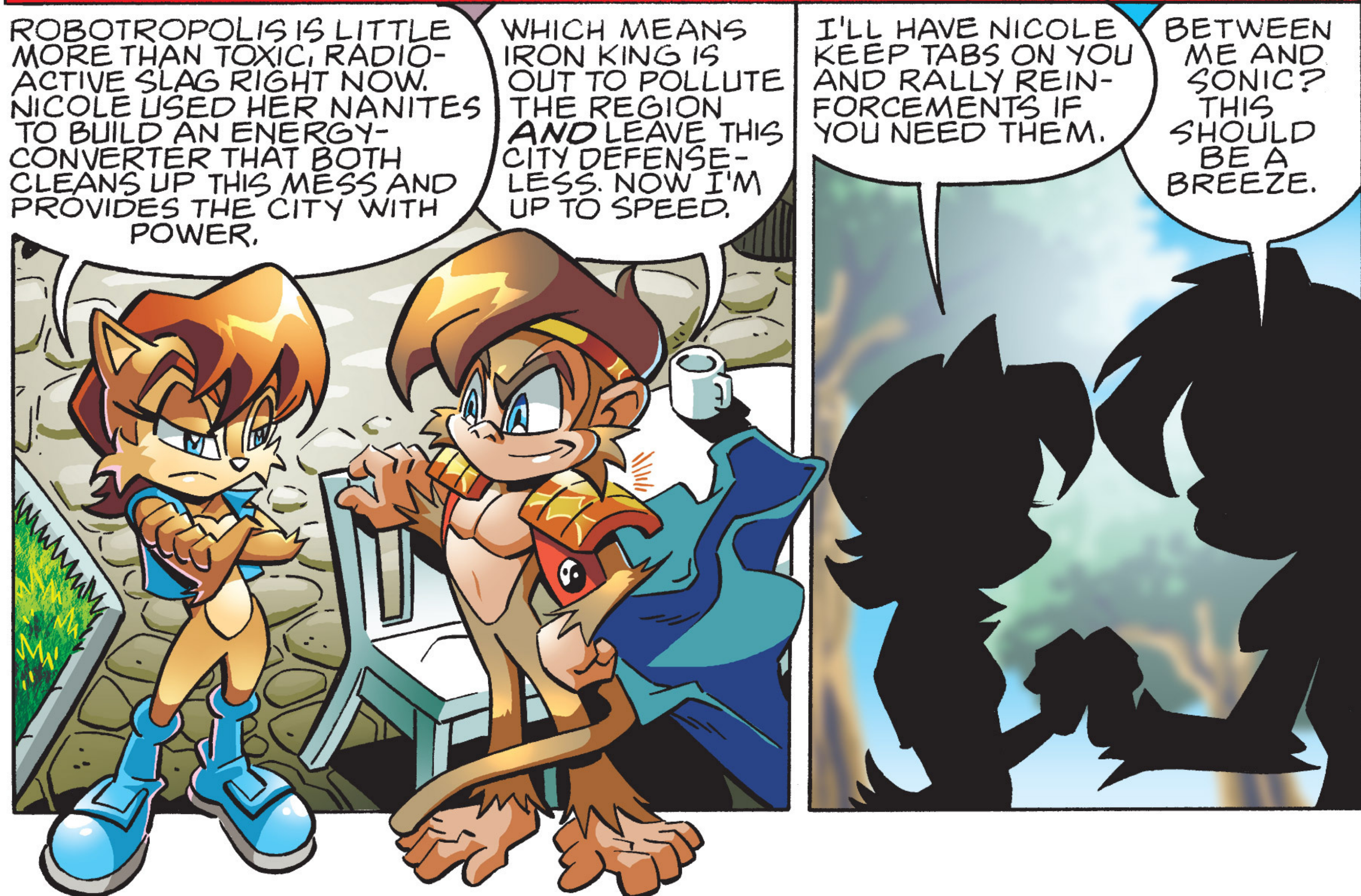
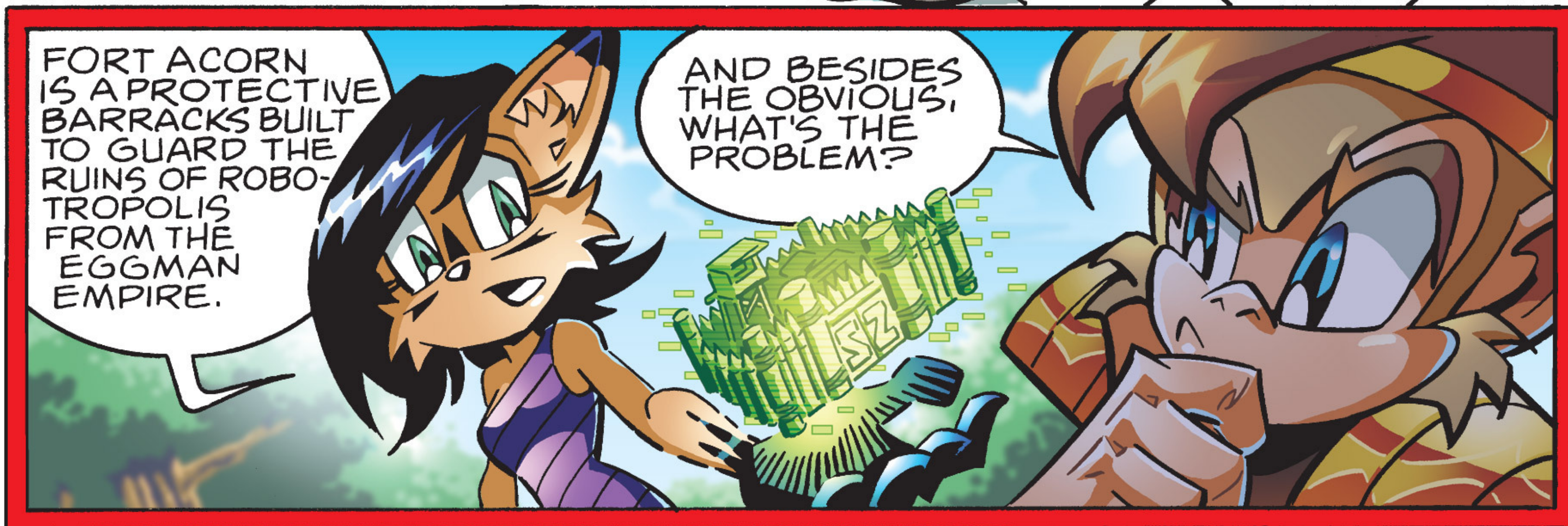
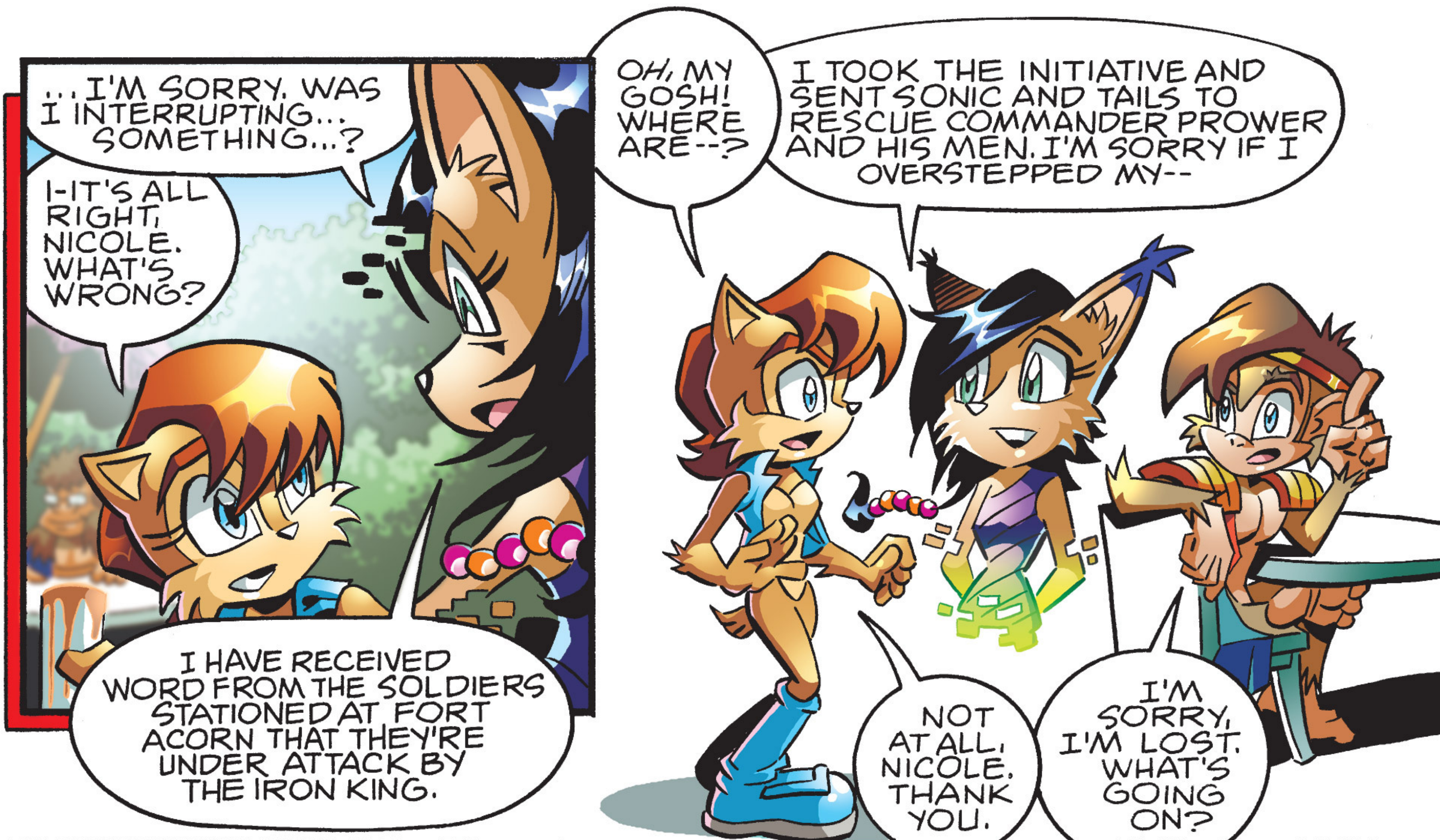
YOU'VE HELD TOGETHER A GROUP OF FRIENDS FOR OVER TEN YEARS AND BEATEN ROBOTNIK TWICE. I REFUSE TO BELIEVE SOMEONE AS STRONG AS YOU COULDN'T SAVE A FRIENDSHIP THAT MEANINGFUL.

AWFULLY SWEET WORDS COMING FROM A HOT-TEMPERED WARRIOR LIKE YOU.

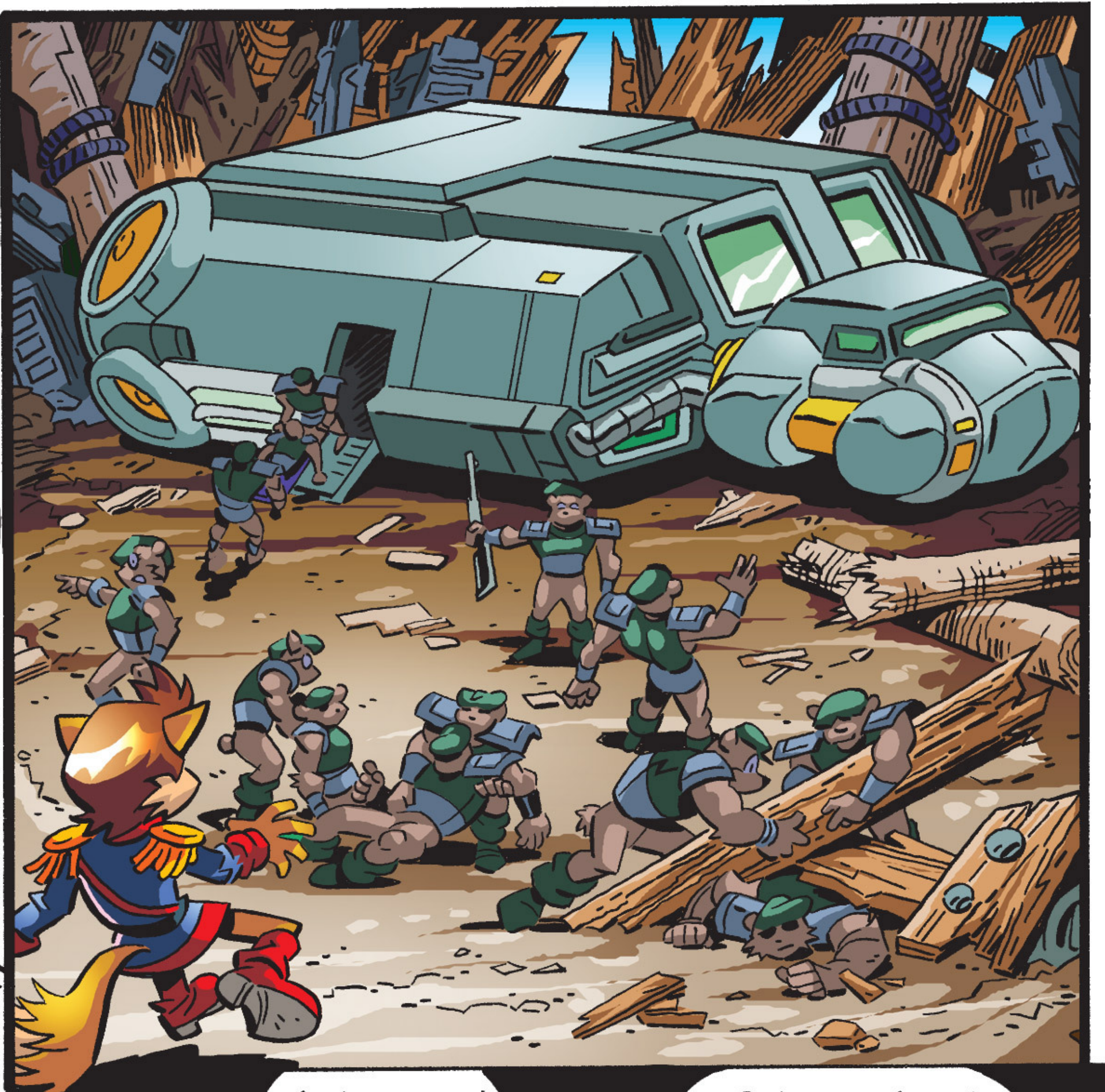
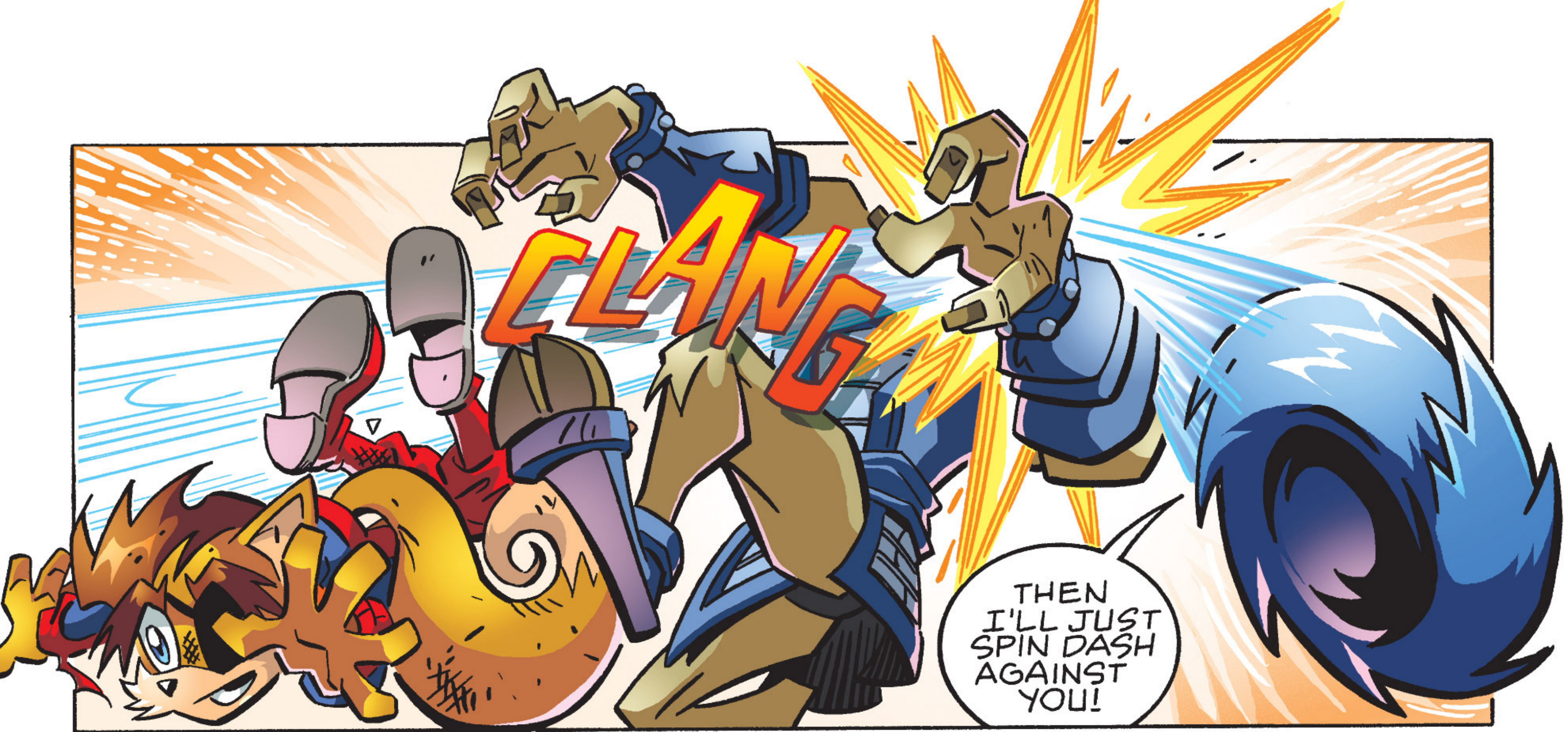
I'M ONLY SAYING WHAT I'VE FELT SINCE THE DAY YOU RESCUED ME. ***

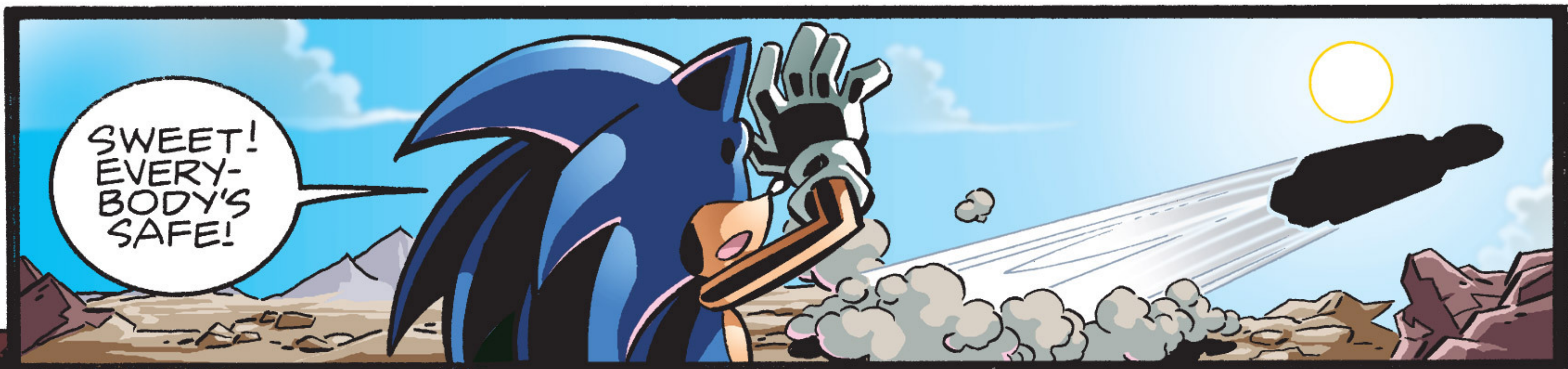
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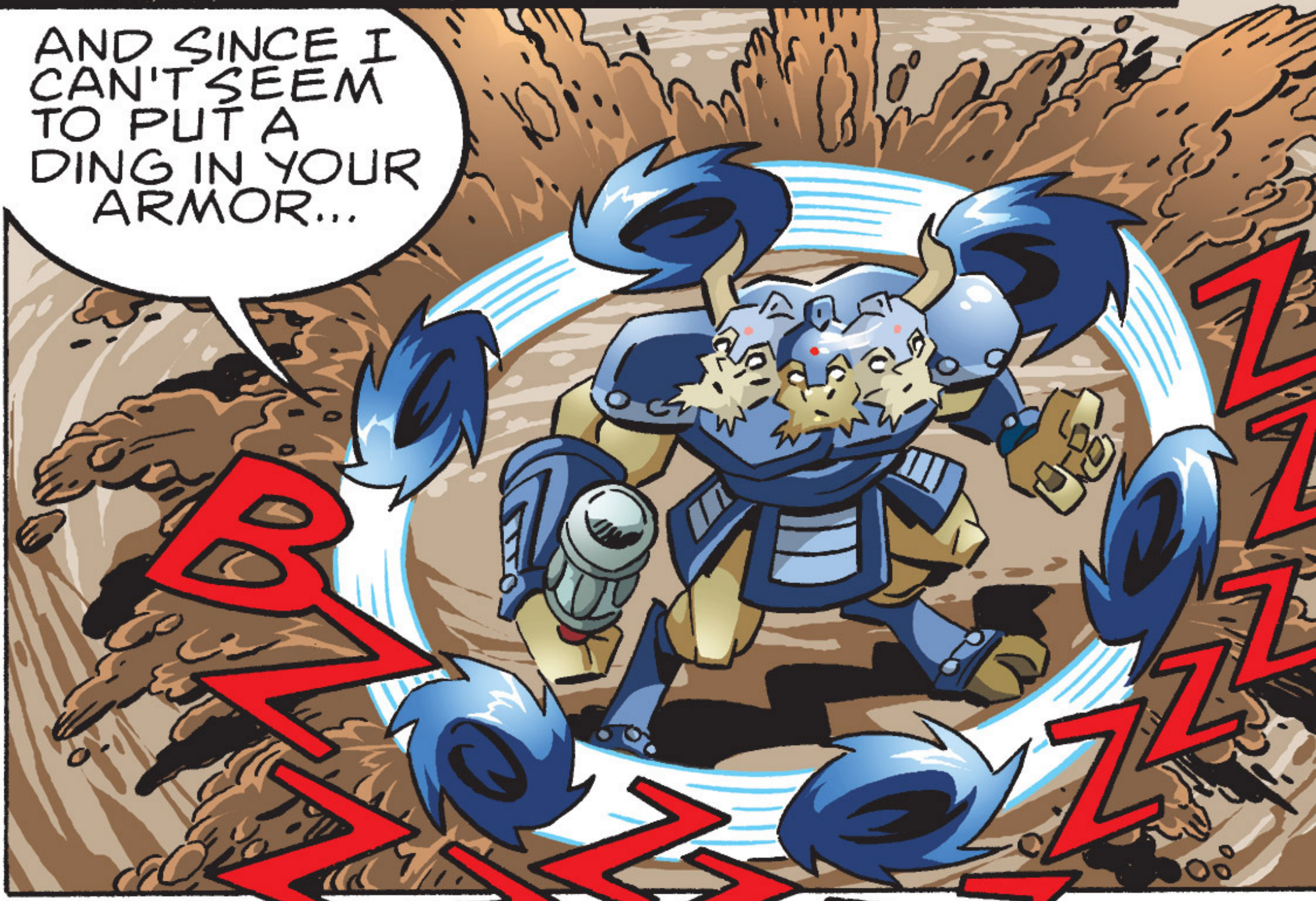


SWEET!
EVERY-
BODY'S
SAFE!

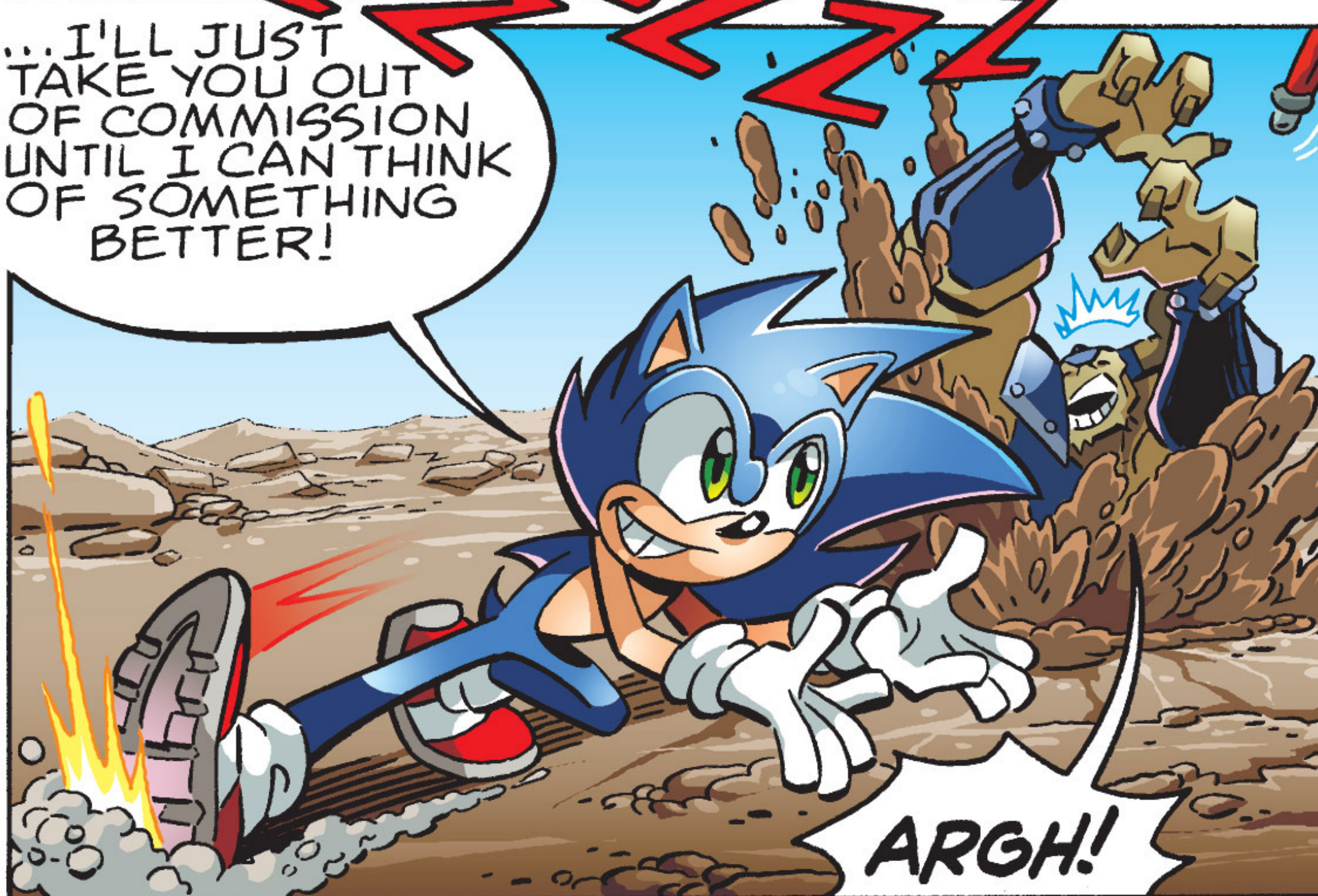


NOT
EVERY-
ONE!

WHOOPS!
SORRY,
I FORGOT
ABOUT YOU
FOR A
SECOND.



AND SINCE I
CAN'T SEEM
TO PUT A
DING IN YOUR
ARMOR...



...I'LL JUST
TAKE YOU OUT
OF COMMISSION
UNTIL I CAN THINK
OF SOMETHING
BETTER!

ARGH!

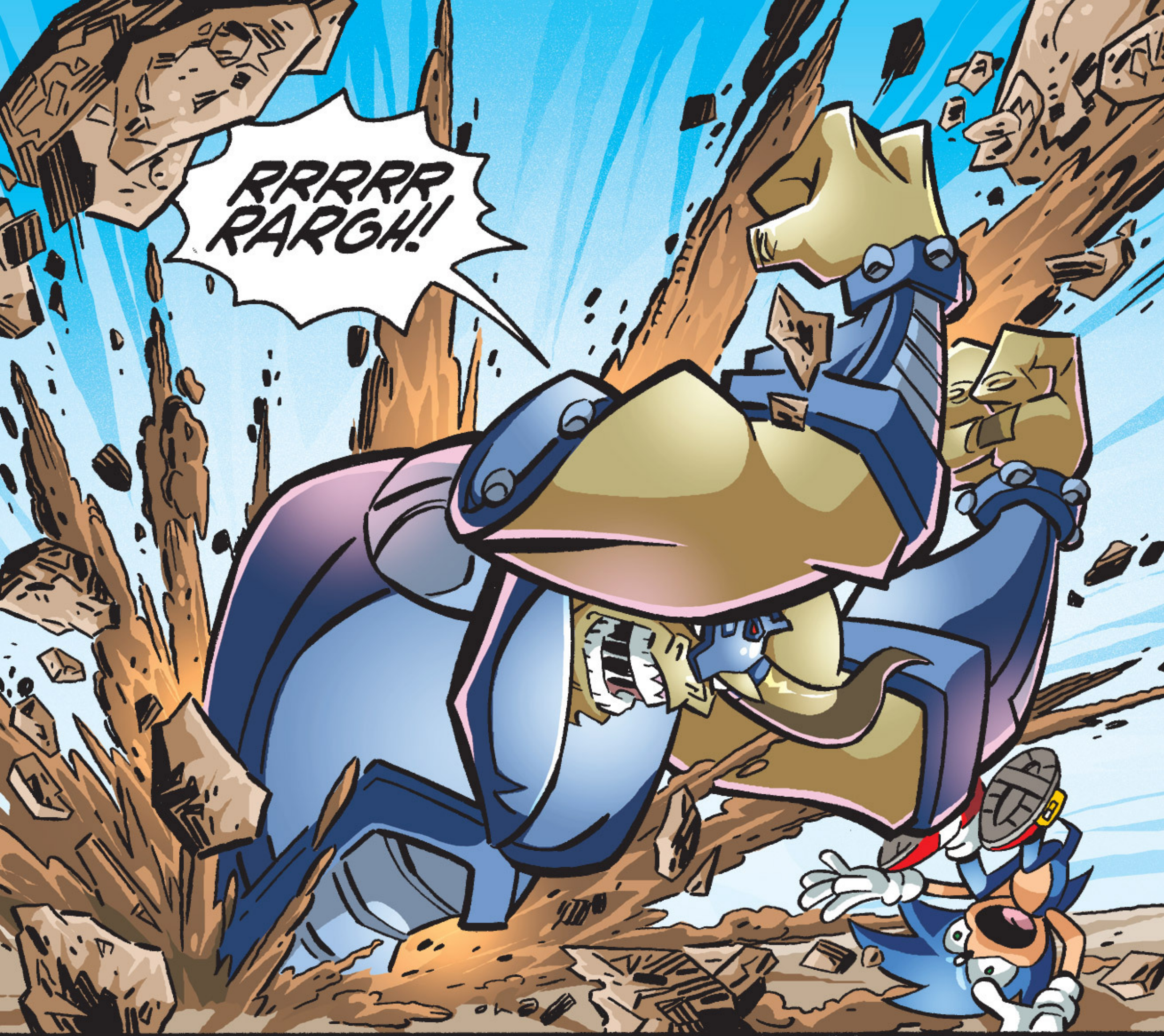


MAYBE I COULD PLANT
SOME TOMATOES HERE.
THEY COULD GROW UP
AROUND YOUR HORNS.
WE'LL CALL YOU "IRON
PLANTER."



...WOULD
YOU PREFER
BEANS?

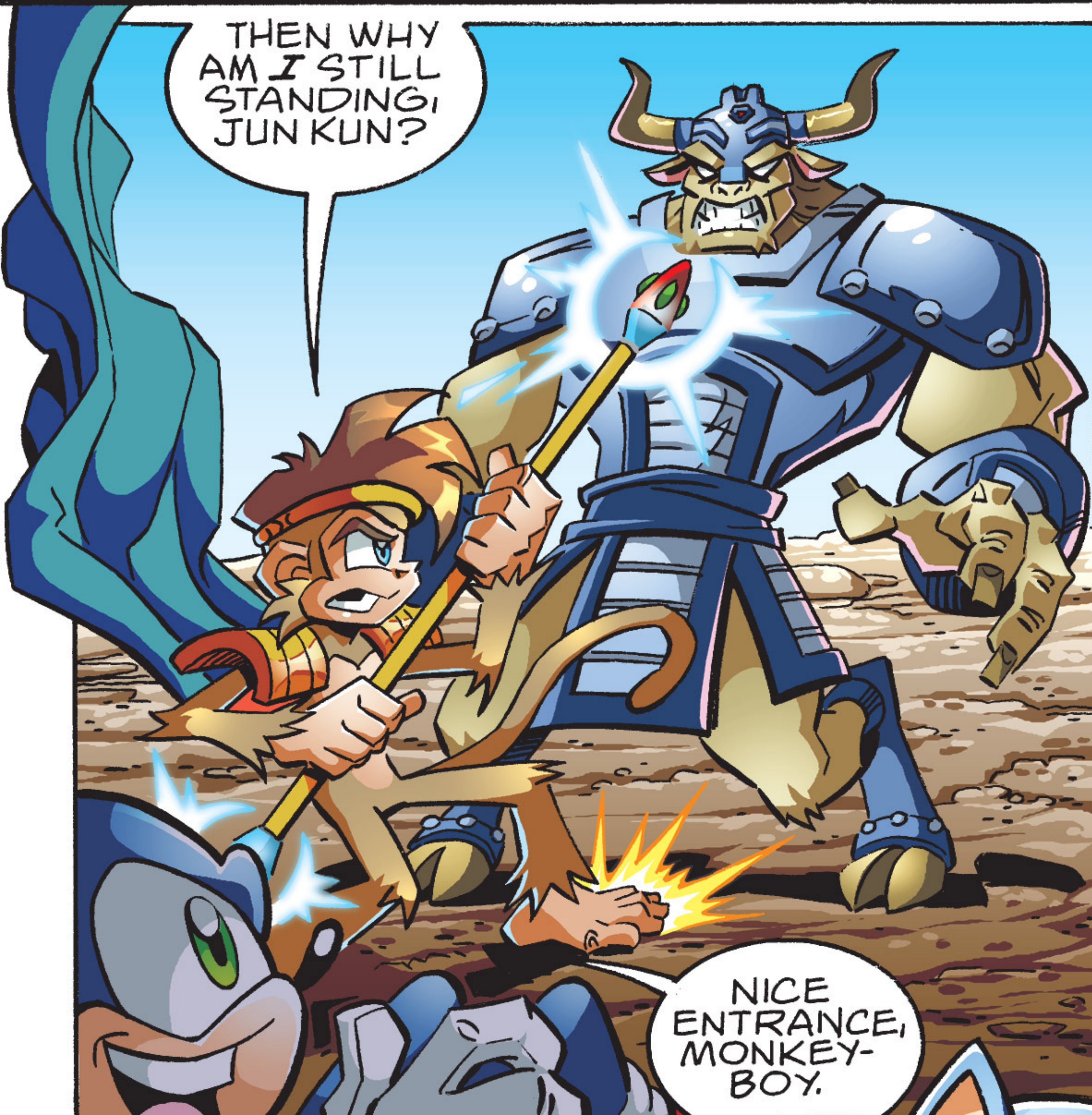
RRRR
RGH...



RRRRR
RARGH!



INSOLENT
BOY! ALL
WHO HAVE
OPPOSED
ME HAVE
FALLEN!



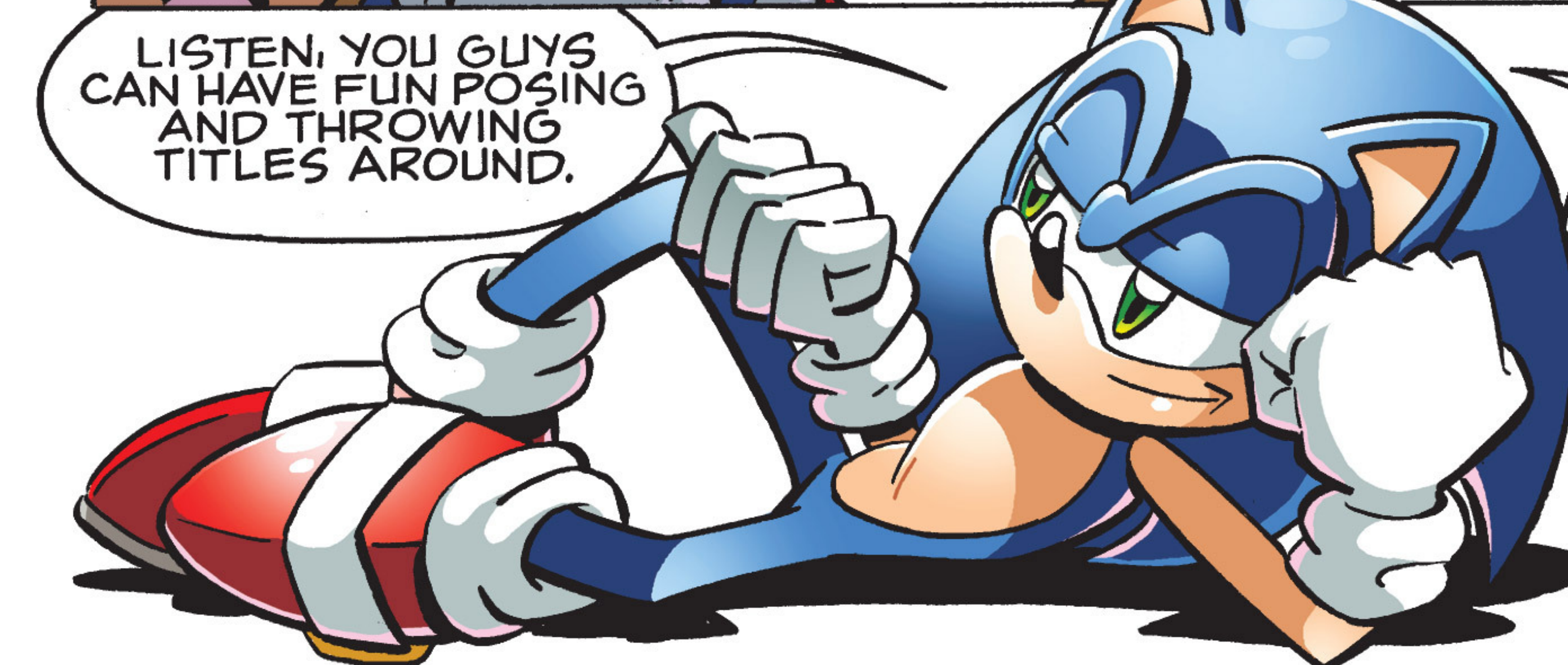
THEN WHY
AM I STILL
STANDING,
JUN KUN?

NICE
ENTRANCE,
MONKEY-
BOY.



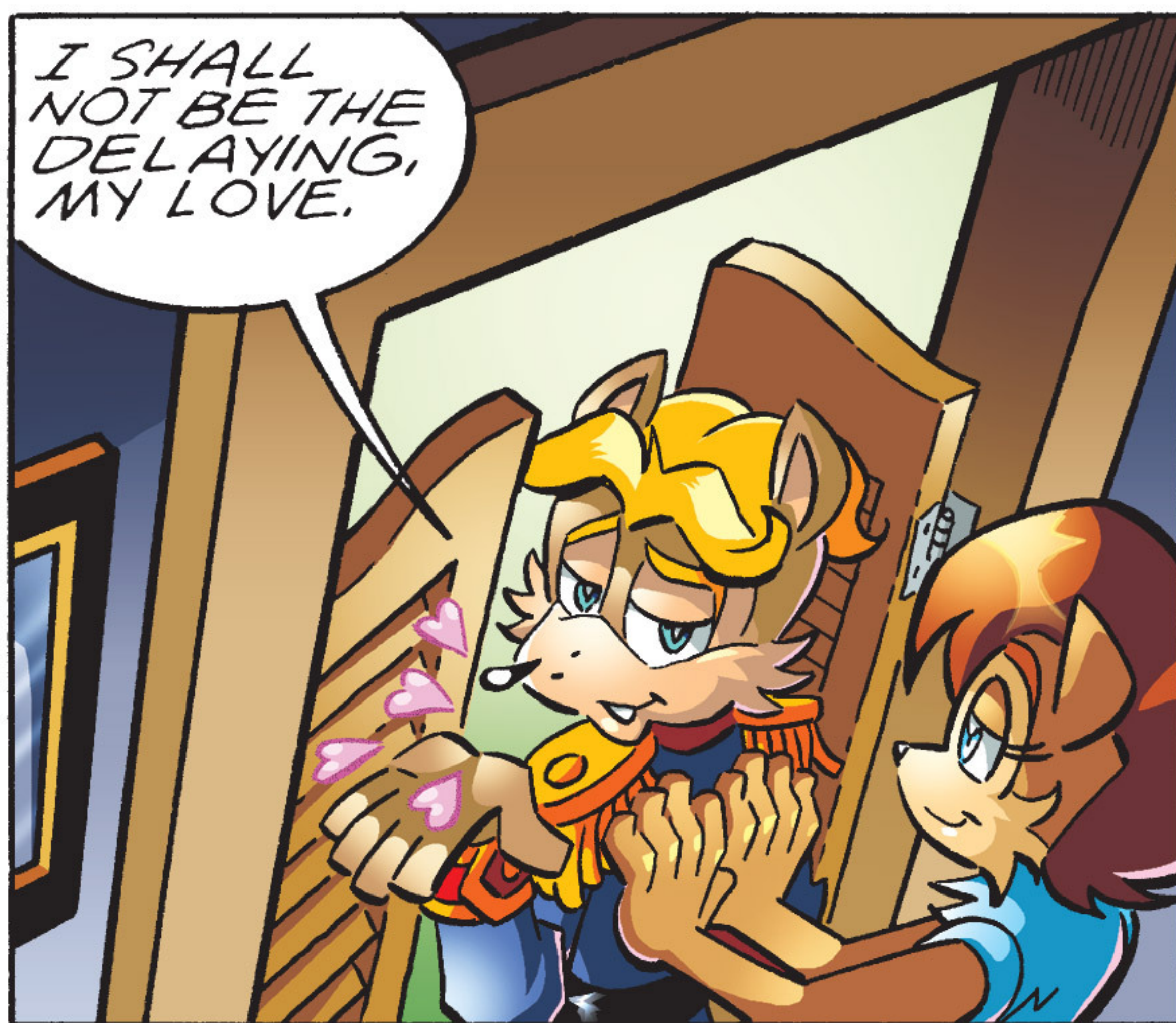
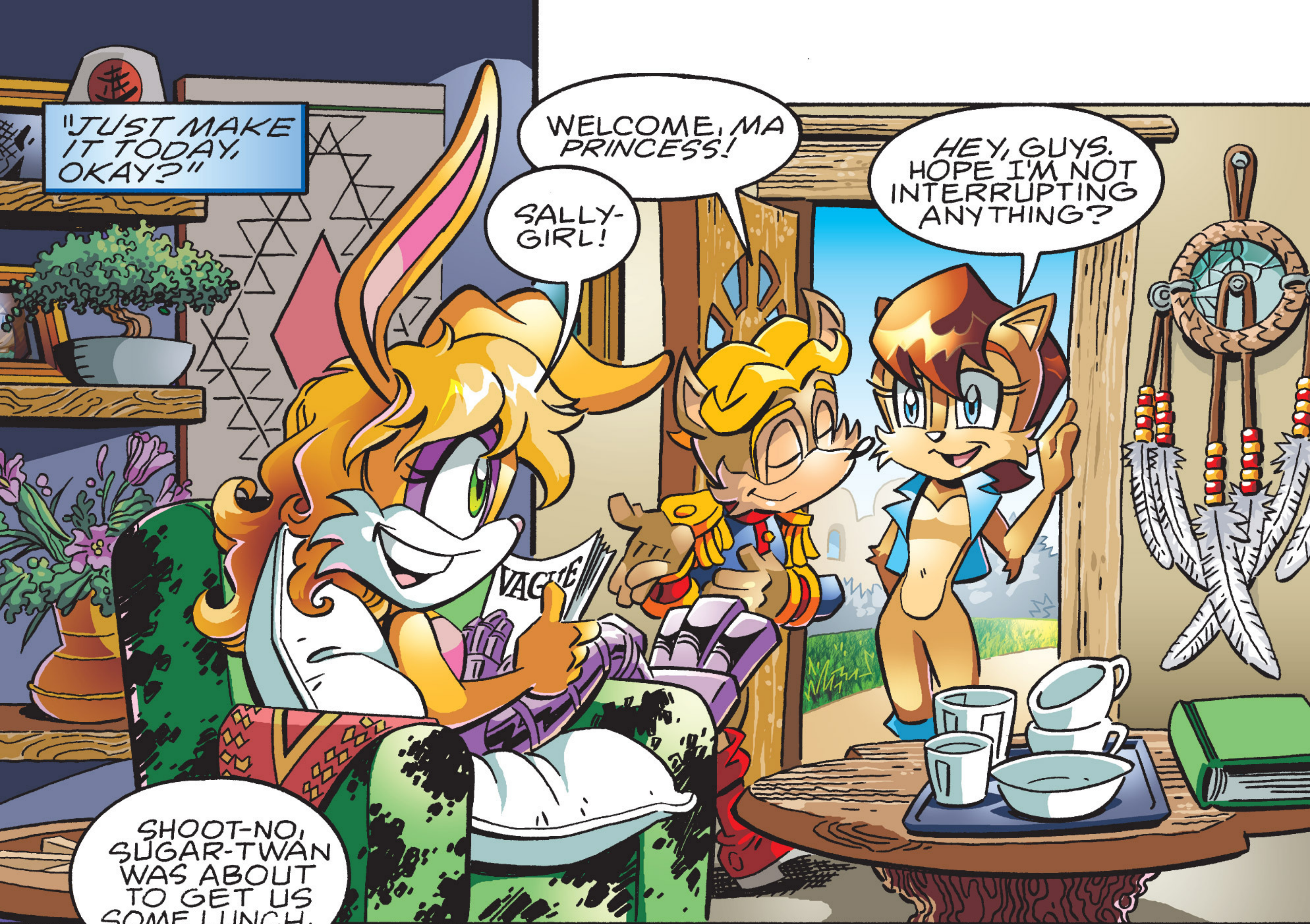
YOU ARE TOO
FAMILIAR IN YOUR
TONE. I AM THE
IRON KING AND
NOTHING LESS
TO YOU.

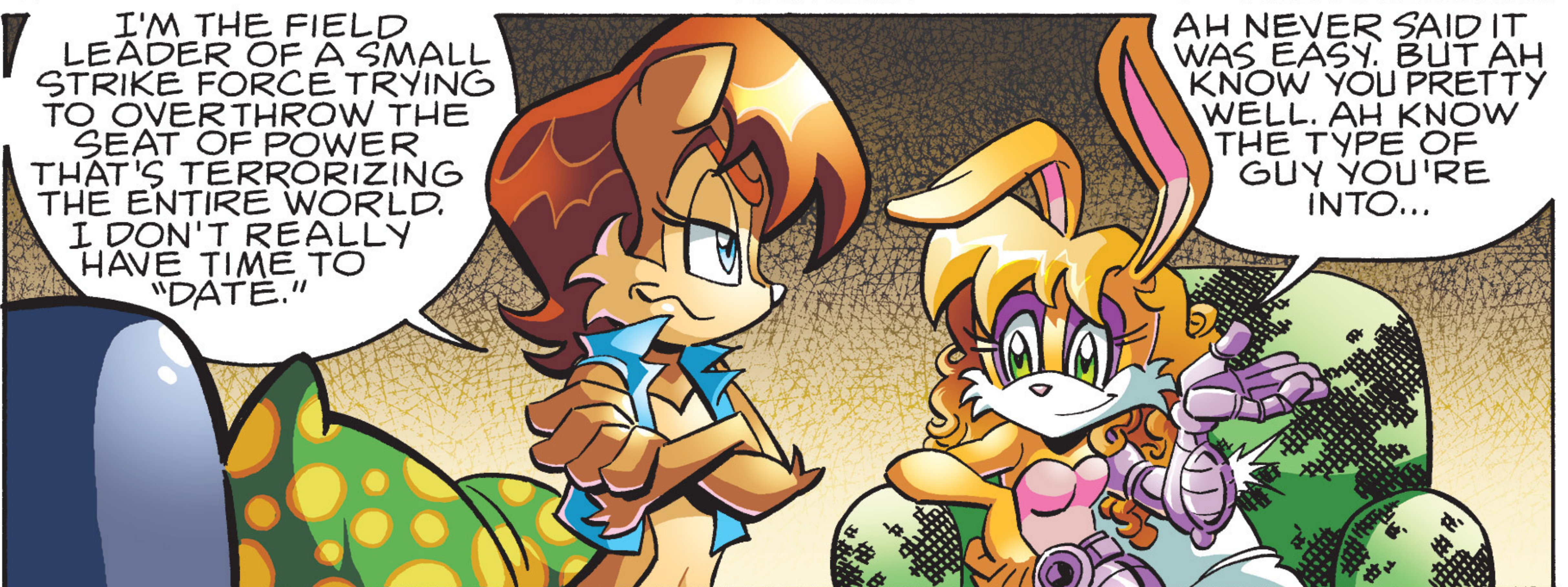
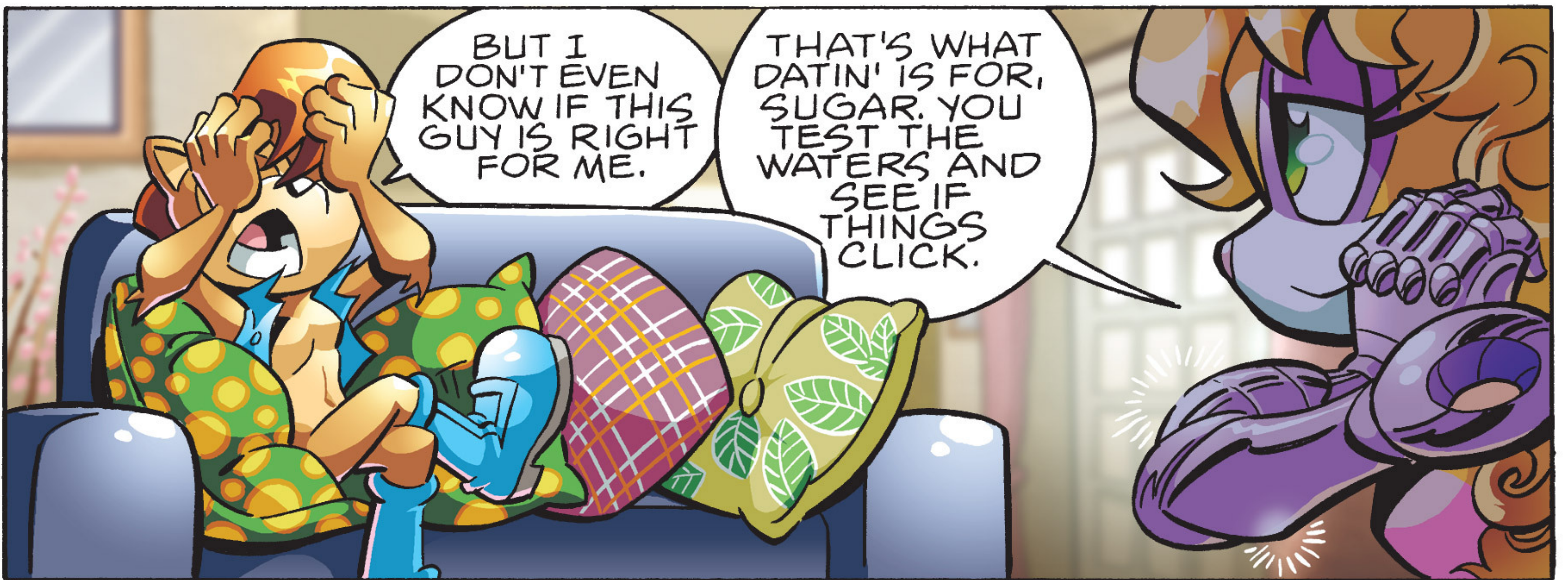
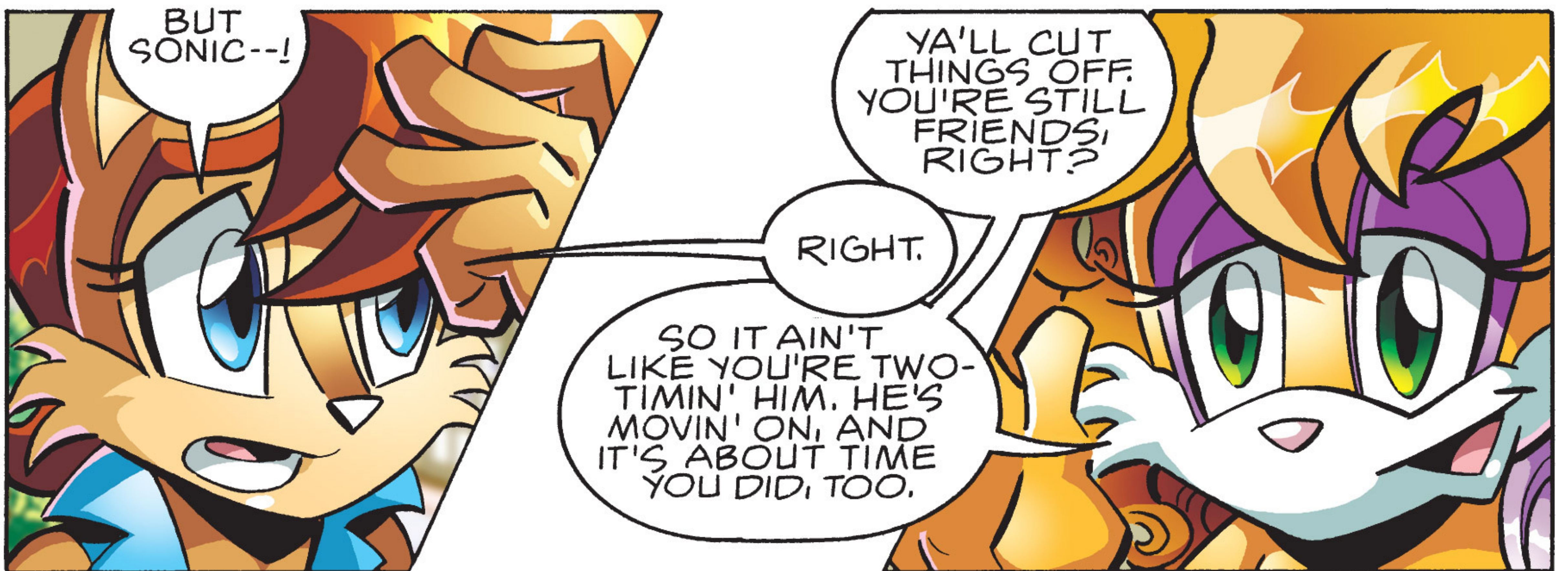
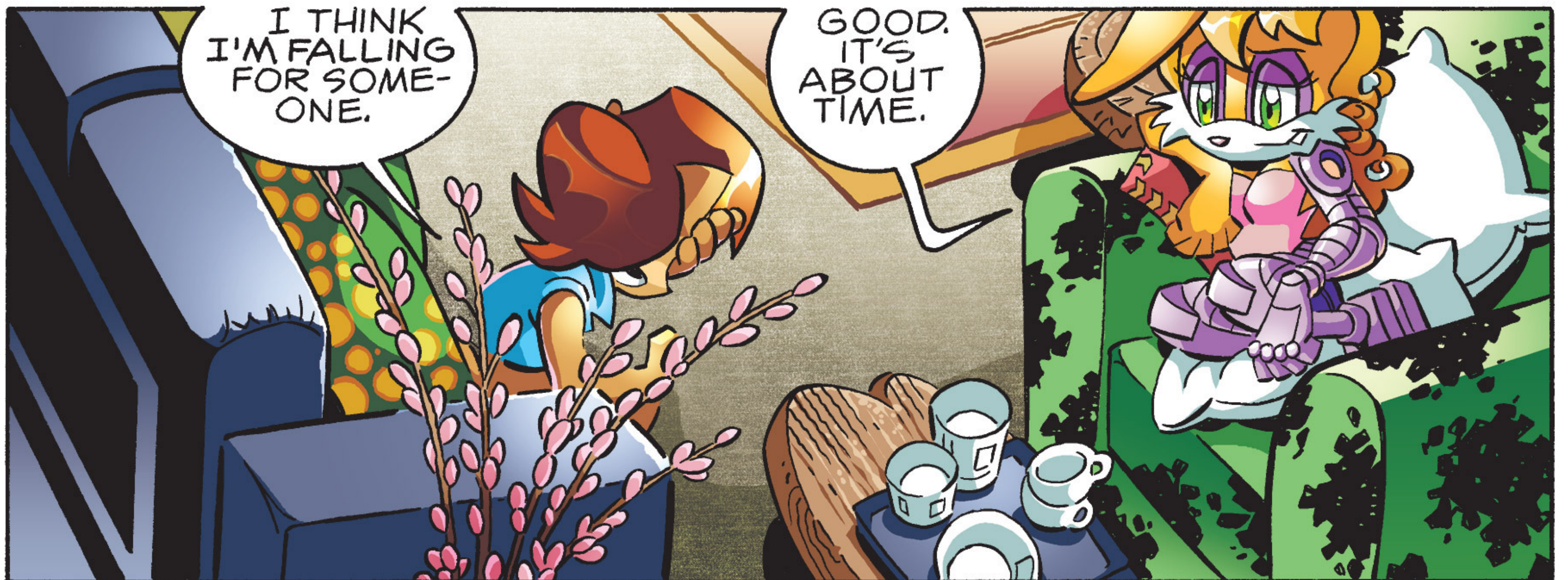
THE OPPRESSED
HAVE NAMED
ME THE "KING OF THE
FREE PEOPLE," AND I'LL
HAVE YOU KNEEL TO
ME FOR YOUR CRIMES.



LISTEN, YOU GUYS
CAN HAVE FUN POSING
AND THROWING
TITLES AROUND.

I'M
GOING TO
CHILL HERE
UNTIL YOU
DECIDE TO
ACTUALLY
DO SOME-
THING.

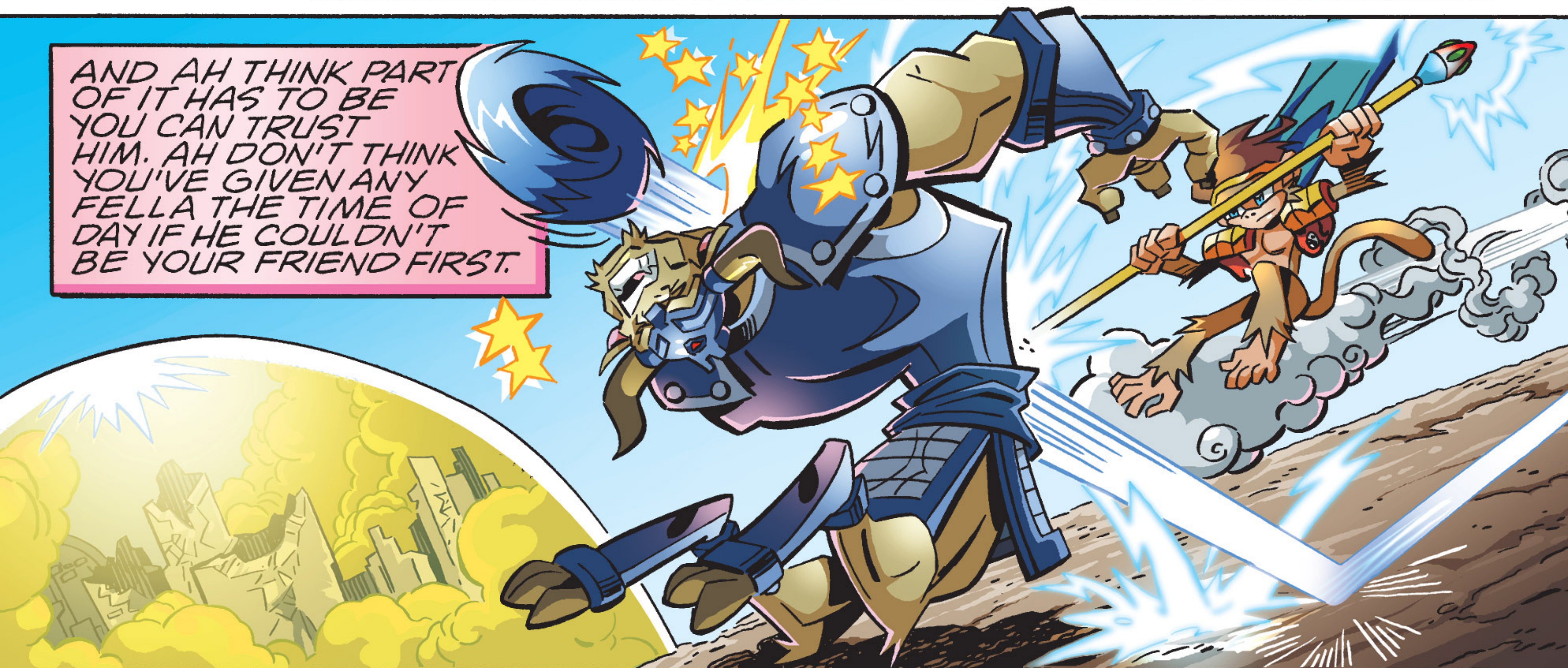




"YOU'VE ALWAYS BEEN ATTRACTED TO THE STRONG, PROTECTIVE TYPES. YOU'RE SELF-RELIANT, BUT AH THINK YOU LIKE HAVING SOMEONE WHO CAN PROTECT YOU AS WELL AS YOU'D PROTECT THEM.



AND AH THINK PART OF IT HAS TO BE YOU CAN TRUST HIM. AH DON'T THINK YOU'VE GIVEN ANY FELLA THE TIME OF DAY IF HE COULDN'T BE YOUR FRIEND FIRST.

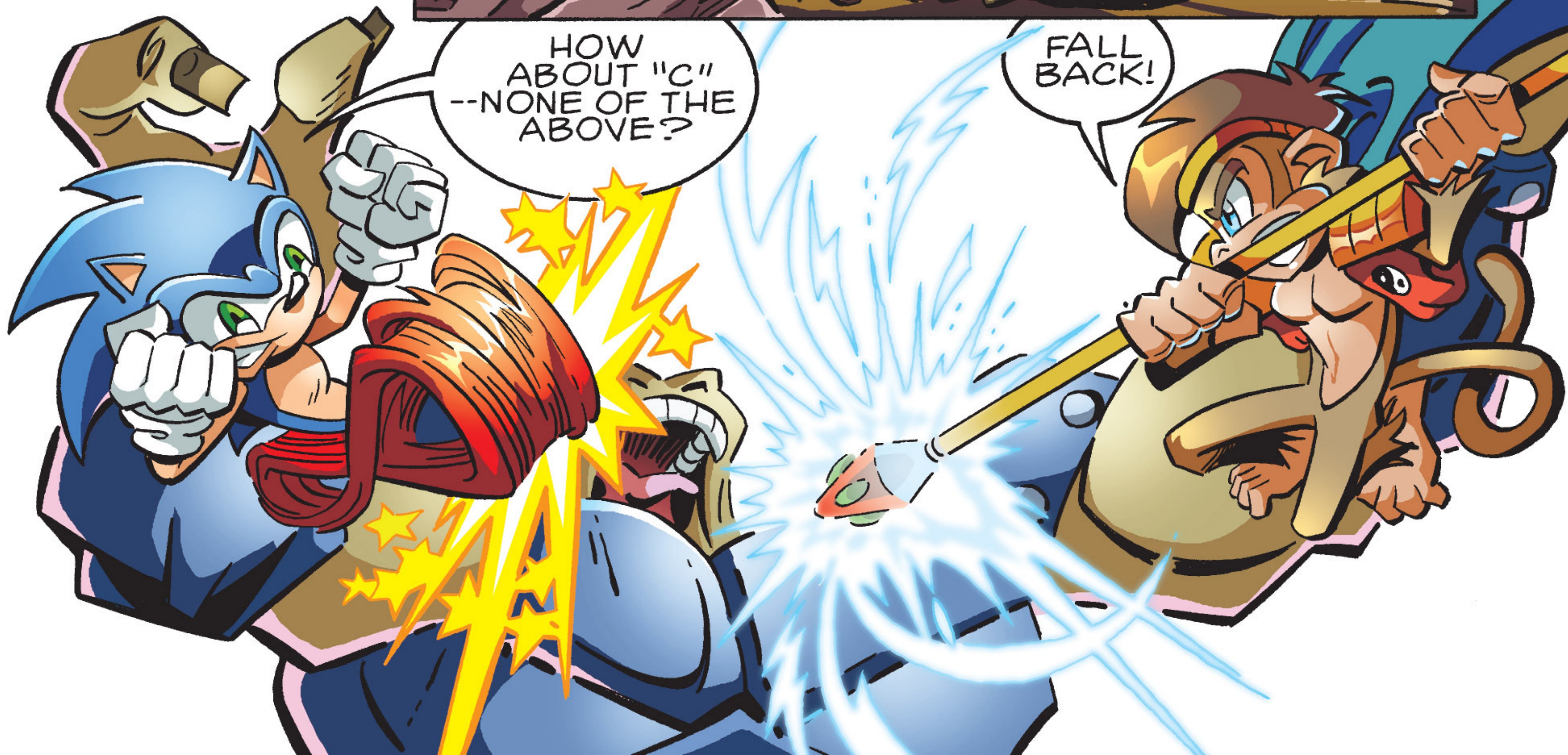
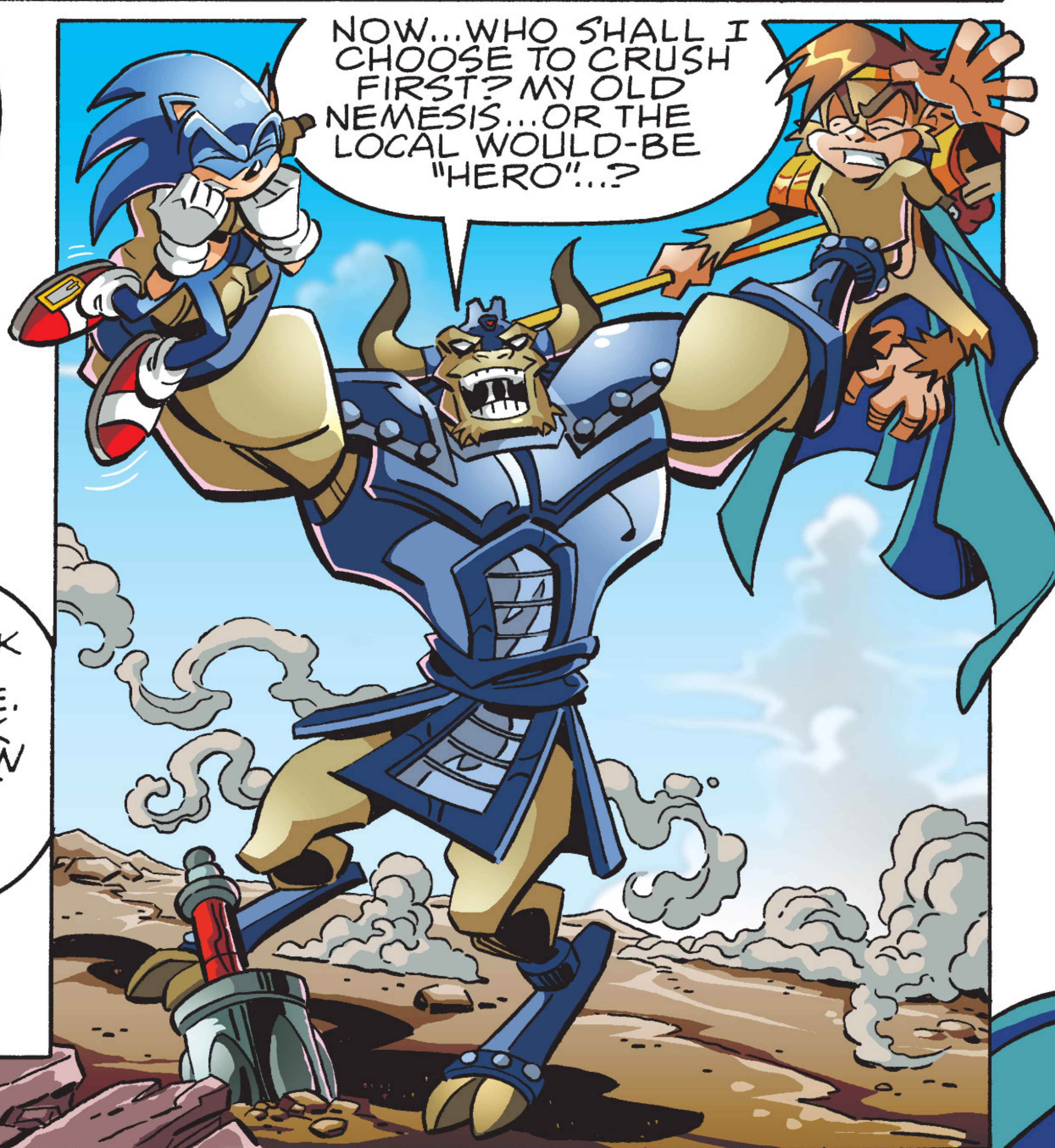


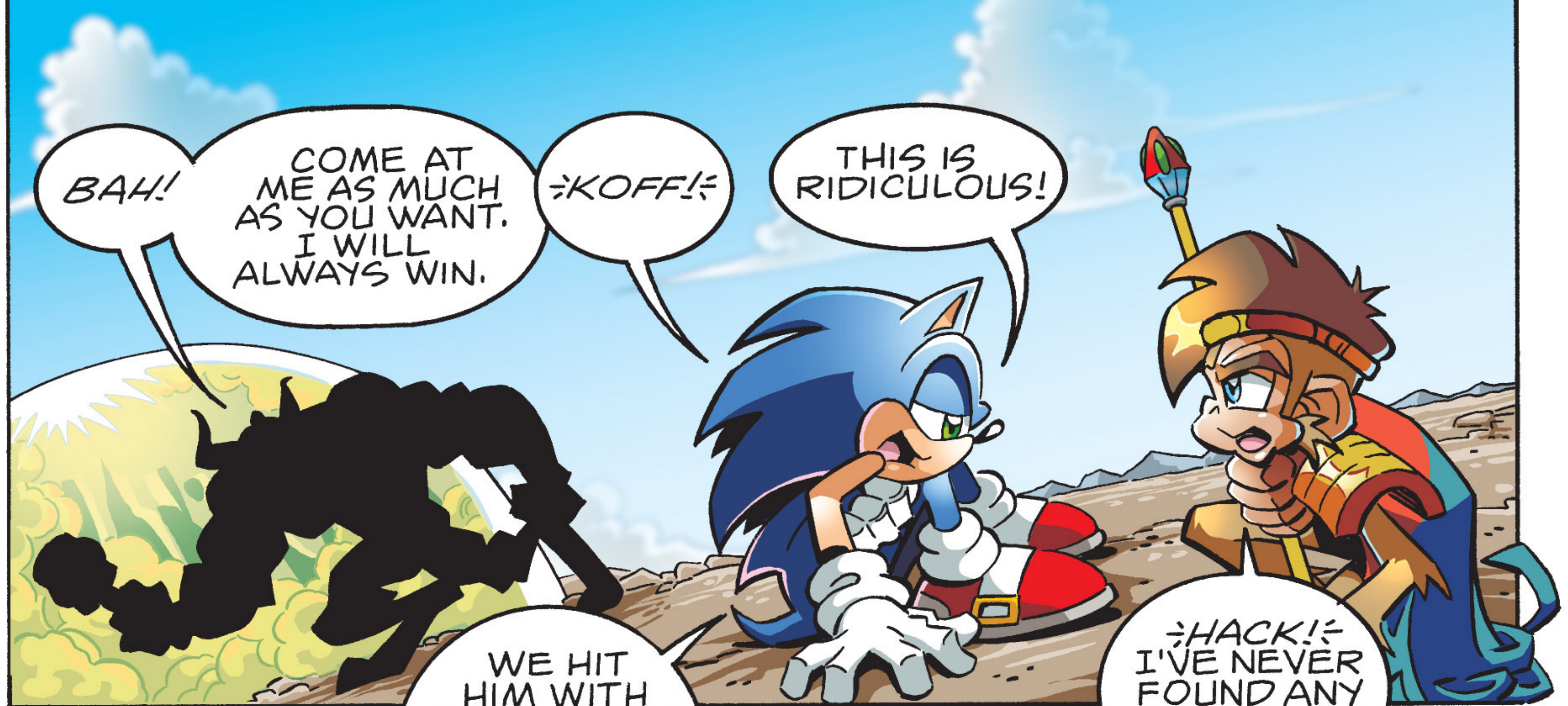
THEY SAY OPPOSITES ATTRACT, AND IT'S TRUE FOR YOU. YOU LIKE TO HAVE A HANDLE ON THE SITUATION, AND WHILE IT MIGHT DRIVE YOU UP THE WALL, YOU JUST CAIN'T HELP BUT LIKE A GUY WHO'S A BIT RECKLESS.



THAT SAID, YOU'RE A SELFLESS PERSON, AND YOU LIKE THAT QUALITY IN OTHERS. YOU WANT SOMEBODY AS WILLING TO GIVE HIS ALL FOR EVERYONE ELSE AS YOU ARE."







BAH!

COME AT ME AS MUCH AS YOU WANT. I WILL ALWAYS WIN.

≠KOFF!≠

THIS IS RIDICULOUS!

WE HIT HIM WITH EVERYTHING WE'VE GOT, AND HE'S STILL STANDING!

≠HACK!≠
I'VE NEVER FOUND ANY WEAKNESS TO HIM...

THOOM

BLASTED CITIES WITH THEIR BLASTED SHIELDS!
YOU WILL FALL TO ME!

THOOM

THIS IS STUPID. WE CAN'T DO ANYTHING TO STOP HIM, BUT WE CAN'T JUST STAND HERE, EITHER.

WELL, I'M OUT OF IDEAS. I ALREADY TOLD YOU HE STOLE THE FAN OF FEN XING* AND HE'S INVULNERABLE. THE ONLY ADVANTAGE WE HAVE IS HIS EGO AND THE FACT THAT...

...HE ISN'T INCREDIBLY BRIGHT.

THOOM

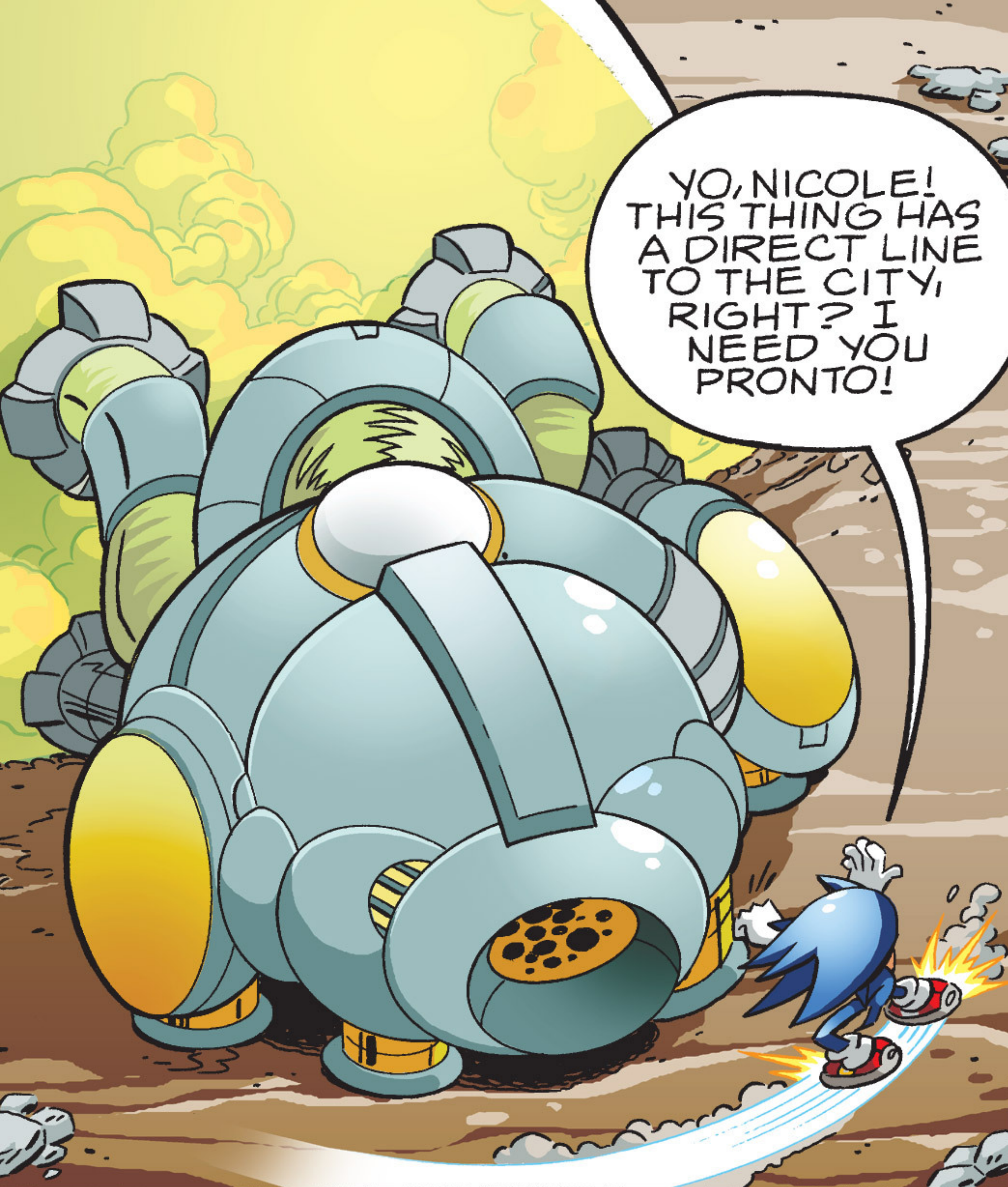
I'VE GOT IT!
THAT'S
HOW WE BEAT HIM!

WHAT?
HOW?

*BACK IN
STH #202!

THOOM

LET ME WORRY ABOUT THAT. YOU DISTRACT HIM SOMEHOW, LET HIM BEAT YOU UP SOME MORE, MAYBE?



YO, NICOLE!
THIS THING HAS
A DIRECT LINE
TO THE CITY,
RIGHT? I
NEED YOU
PRONTO!



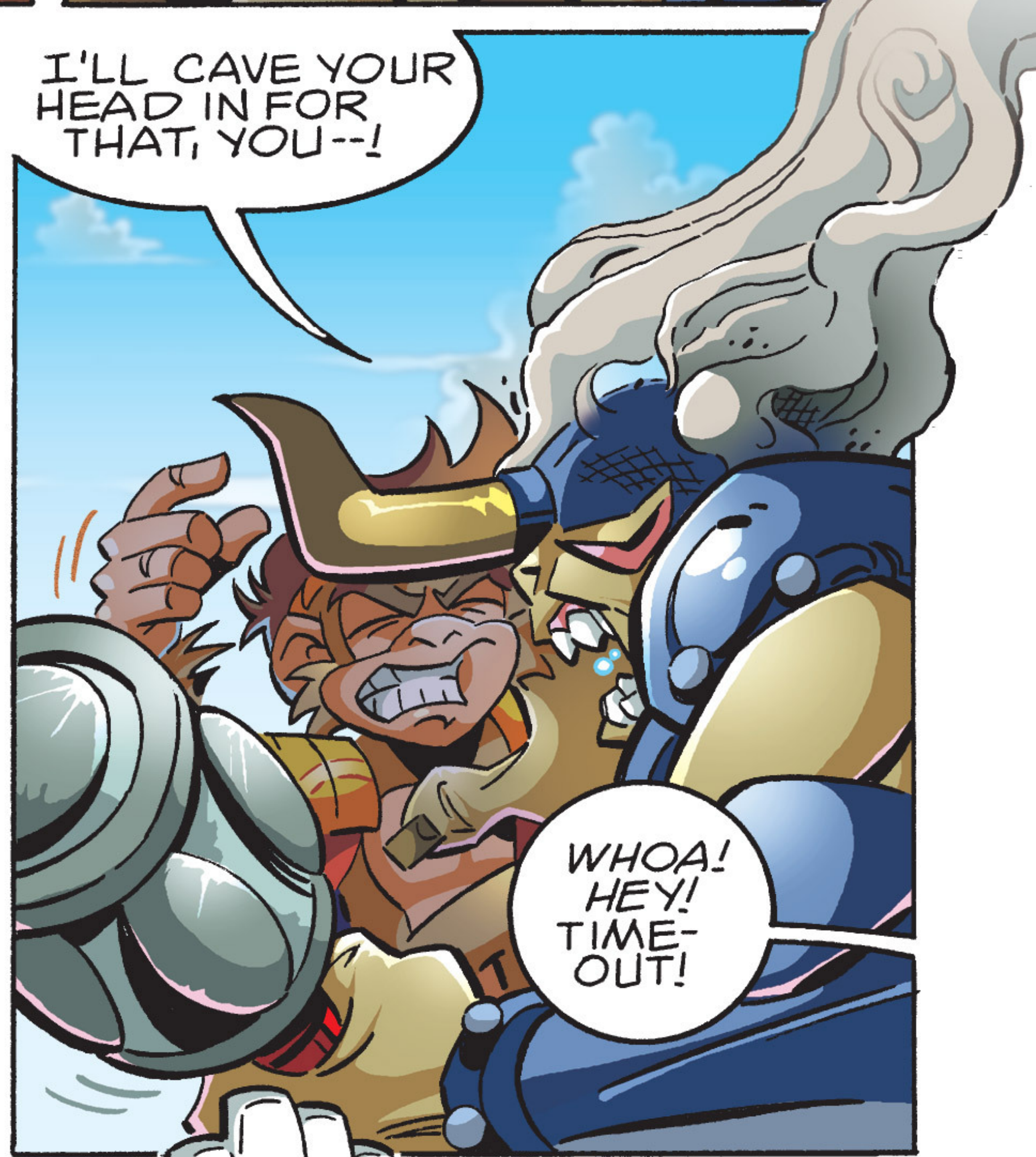
WHAT
IS HE
UP TO
NOW?



KRAKOW

WHAT
WAS
THAT?

NEVERMIND--JUST
LISTEN! I'VE GOT A
PLAN, I NEED IT DONE
IN UNDER A MINUTE,
AND YOU'RE THE ONLY
ONE WHO
CAN
PULL IT
OFF.

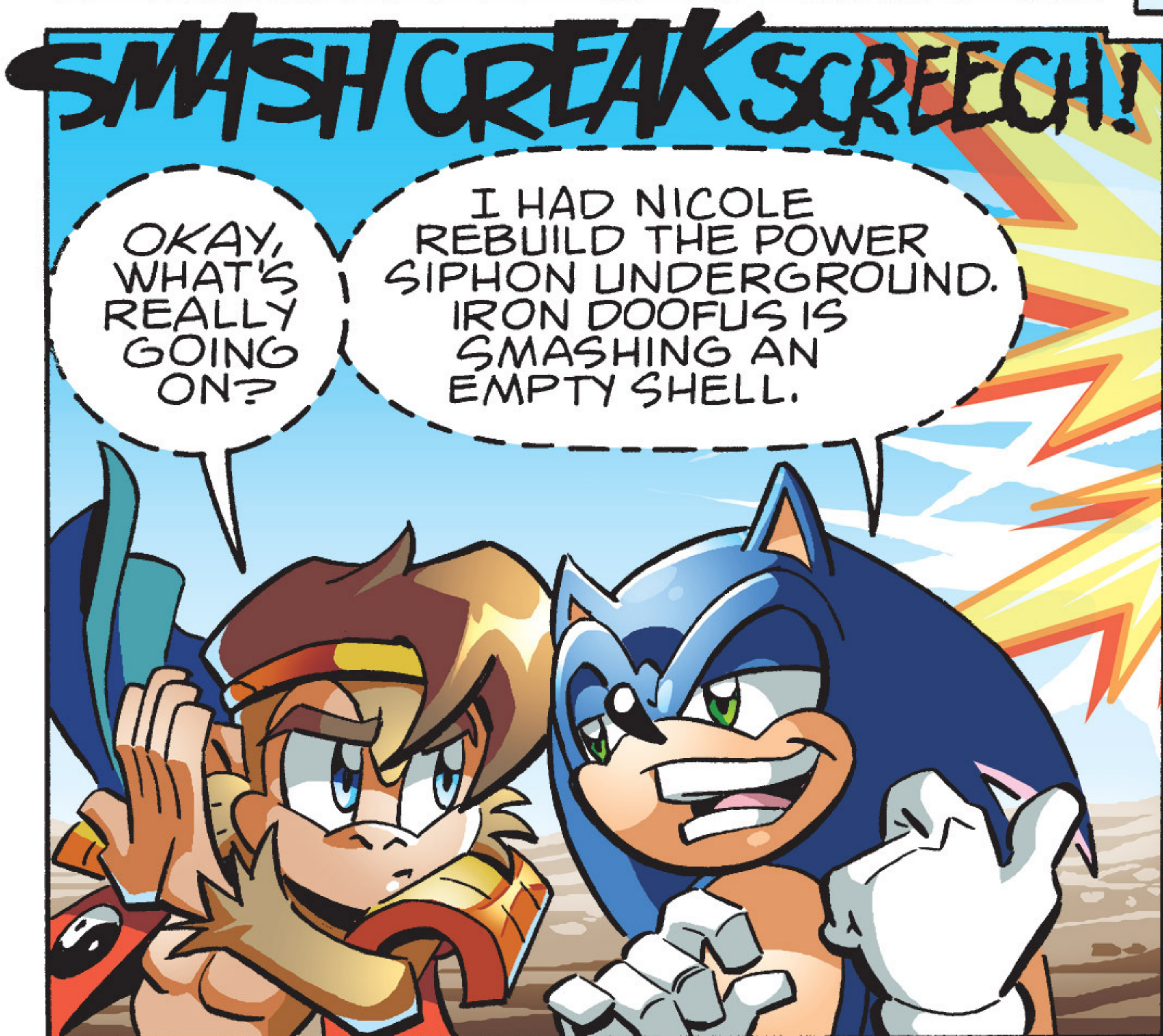
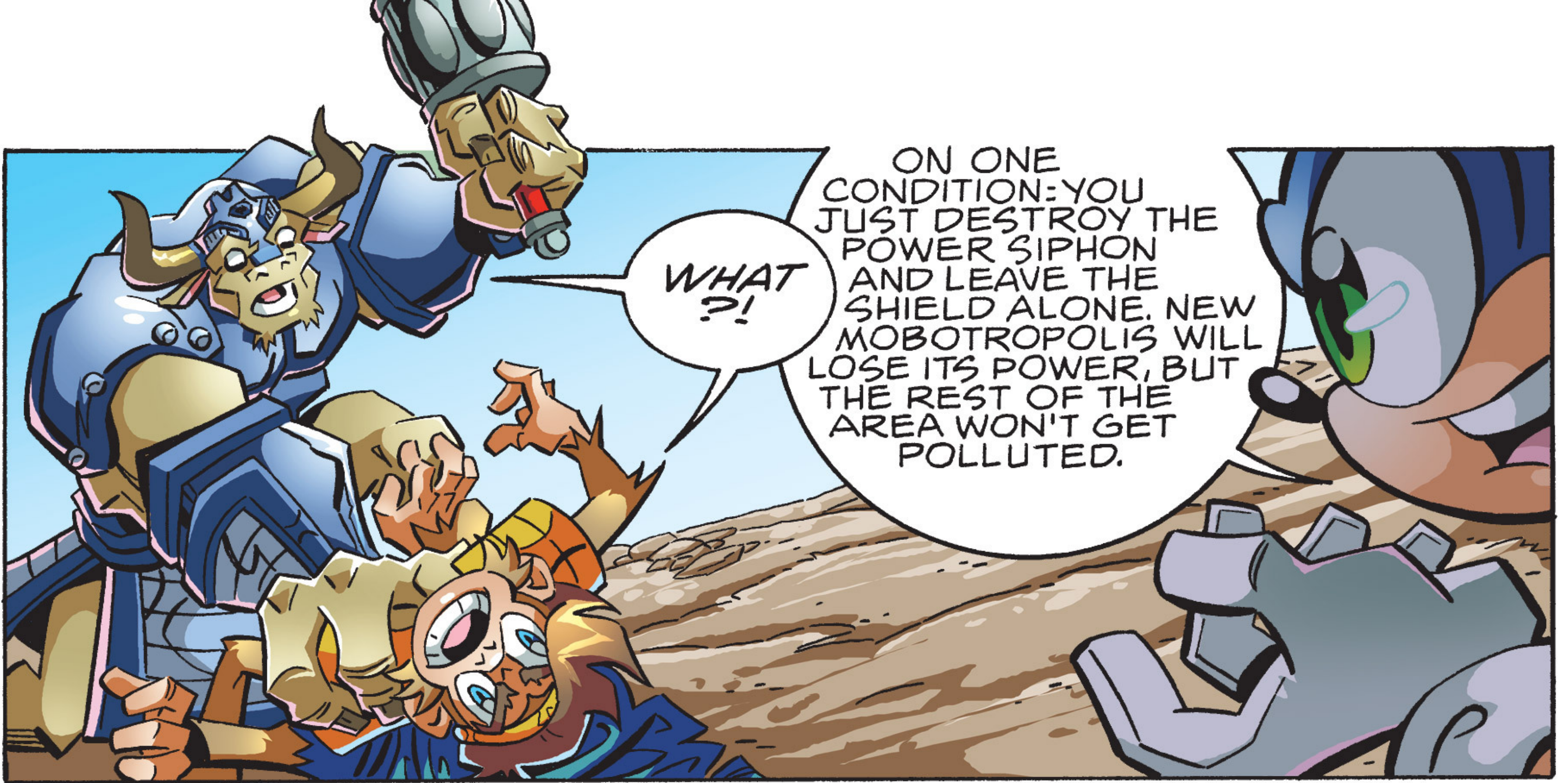


I'LL CAVE YOUR
HEAD IN FOR
THAT, YOU--!

WHOA!
HEY!
TIME-
OUT!



WE
GIVE.
YOU
WIN.



LATER...

MISSION ACCOMPLISHED, SAL. WHERE'S TAILS?

CREDIT GOES TO SONIC FOR THE QUICK THINKING.

IT WOULDN'T HAVE WORKED WITHOUT YOUR EVER-SO-PUNCHABLE FACE, M.K.

OH, STOP.

I MEAN IT!

I KNOW, I DO, TOO.

COME WITH ME, KEN. THERE'S SOMETHING I WANT US TO TALK ABOUT.

O-O-KAY ...?

SONIC!

UH... HEY, AMY.

I HEARD YOU JUST GOT BACK FROM ANOTHER ADVENTURE, AND I WANT TO HEAR ALL ABOUT IT! MAYBE OVER DINNER? MY TREAT?

HE'S WITH AMADEUS, CHECKING ON THE WOUNDED. NICOLE FILLED ME IN ON YOUR PLAN. NICE WORK, YOU TWO.

A full-page comic illustration of Sonic the Hedgehog and Amy Rose running happily along a stone path. Sonic is in the foreground, slightly ahead of Amy, both smiling broadly. In the background, there are lush green trees, a large classical-style building with a blue roof, and a small body of water. Two smaller characters, a boy and a girl, are running away from them in the distance. Two speech bubbles are present: one from Sonic and one from Amy.

NAH,
I'LL TREAT.
UNCLE
CHUCK'S
SOUND
GOOD TO
YOU?

THAT
SOUNDS
GREAT!

IS THIS THE
BEGINNING OF
NEW ROMANCES?
OR WILL THEY BE
CUT SHORT BY THE
IRON QUEEN'S
NEXT MOVE?
DON'T MISS THE
NEXT ISSUE WHERE
SONIC HAS TO FACE
THE FULL POWER OF
*"THE IRON
DOMINION!"*



THE IRON QUEEN



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HRMPH.
SHE WASN'T
ALWAYS SO
DEMANDING
AND SHRILL.

OH? I
WOULDN'T
KNOW.

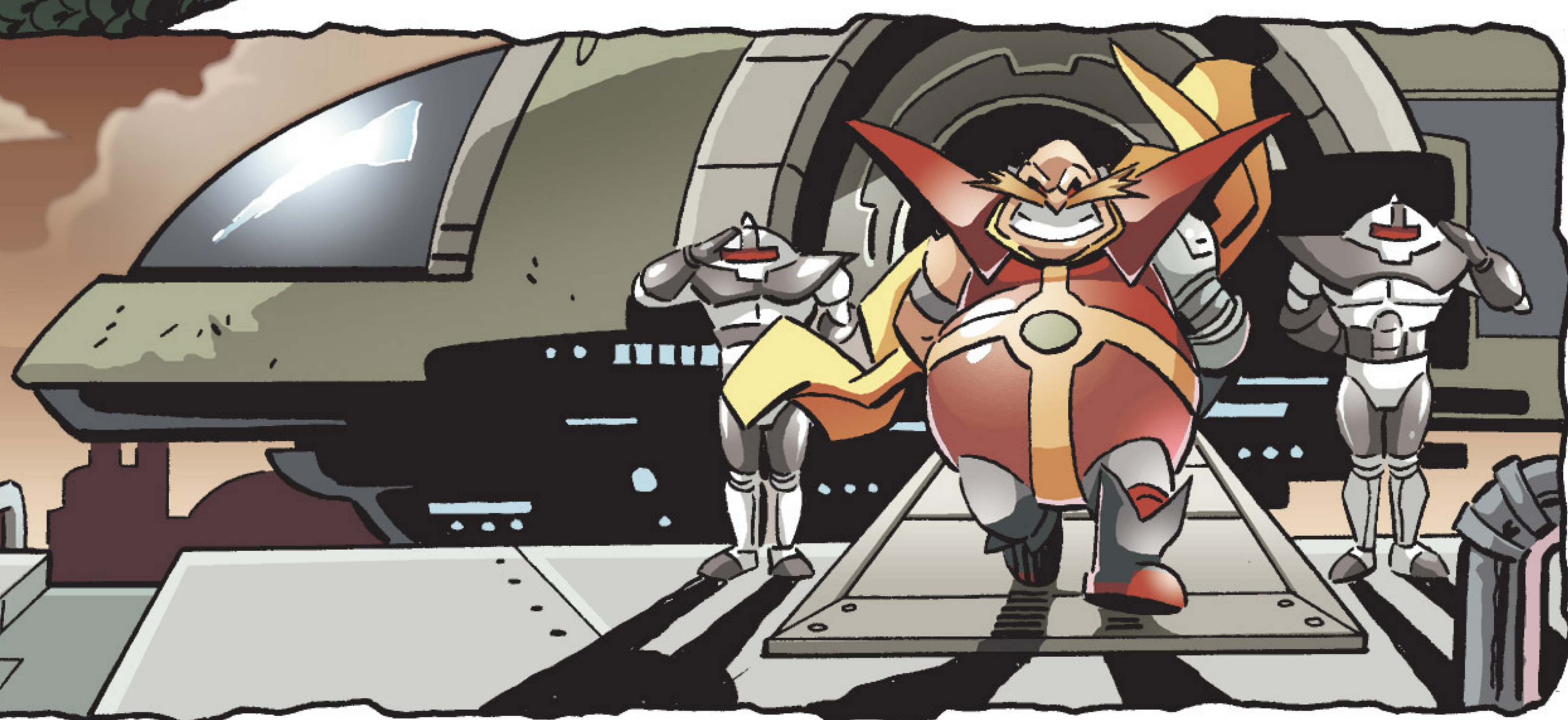
WHEN WE FIRST STARTED OUT, SHE WAS MUCH SOFTER-SPOKEN. SHE USED HER TECHNOMAGIC TO AWAKEN THE LONG-DORMANT MACHINES OF THE LAND TO AID ME IN MY CONQUEST OF THE DRAGON KINGDOM.



BUT OUR EFFORTS WERE USUALLY CRUSHED BY ONE OR MORE OF THE WARRING NINJA CLANS, OR THE FREE PEOPLE WE SOUGHT TO CONTROL. WE COULDN'T GET A FOOTHOLD IN THE REGION AT ALL.



THAT ALL CHANGED WHEN HE CAME. OLD MOBOTROPOLIS WAS FIRMLY UNDER HIS CONTROL, AND HE WAS SPREADING HIS INFLUENCE AROUND THE WORLD.



IT WAS REGINA WHO CONVINCED HIM TO ENDORSE US AS HIS REGIONAL SUB-BOSSSES. I HATED TO SERVE ANY MAN, BUT THE SUPPLIES AND FORCES HE OUTFITTED US WITH GAVE US THE EDGE WE NEEDED.

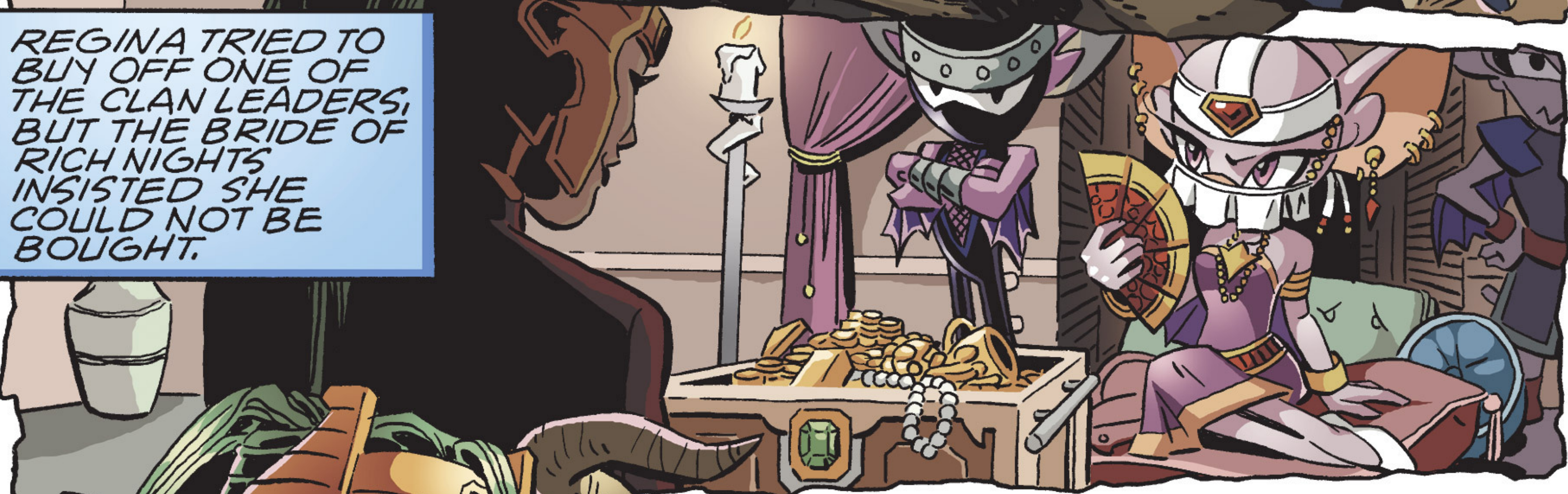


WE BECAME THE IRON KING AND QUEEN, AND FROM THE IRON FORTRESS WE REIGNED OVER THE HELPLESS FREE PEOPLE OF THE DRAGON KINGDOM!

EXCEPT THE FOUR HOUSES STILL VIED FOR CONTROL, AND SINCE WE COULD NOW COMPETE, THEY TURNED EVEN GREATER FORCES AGAINST US. AS MIGHTY AS I AM, EVEN I CAN NOT FIGHT A WAR ON FOUR FRONTS.



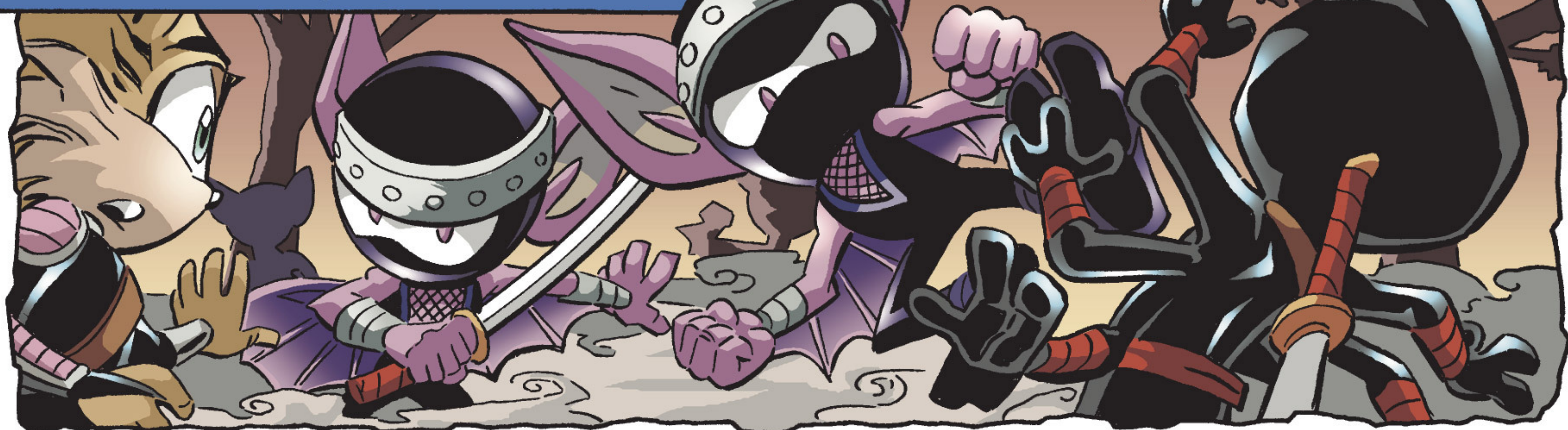
REGINA TRIED TO BUY OFF ONE OF THE CLAN LEADERS, BUT THE BRIDE OF RICH NIGHTS INSISTED SHE COULD NOT BE BOUGHT.



SO I DESTROYED HER. REGINA TOOK THE CREDIT, HOWEVER, TO MAKE HERSELF THE NEW BRIDE OF THE YAGYU CLAN. I DIDN'T SEE MUCH POINT TO IT THEN, BUT...



...THEN SHE SENT THE YAGYU TO AID OUR ENEMIES IN THEIR BATTLES AT RANDOM. SHE SPREAD RUMORS THAT EACH OF THE OTHER HOUSES HAD SWORN ALLEGIANCE TO US AND THE YAGYU'S ACTIVITIES PROVED IT.



EACH OF THE BRIDES FEARED THEY WOULD BE OVERRUN AND DESTROYED, SO THEY EACH SWORE THEIR ALLEGIANCE TO REGINA AND MADE HER THE NEW BRIDE OF FOUR HOUSES.



I WAS CONTENT TO SOLIDIFY OUR HOLD OVER THE DRAGON KINGDOM, BUT THEN SHE RECEIVED WORD FROM YOU THAT ROBOTNIK WAS ABOUT TO FALL. I DIDN'T WANT TO GO, BUT SHE HAD BEEN RIGHT ABOUT EVERYTHING ELSE, SO I FOLLOWED HER...



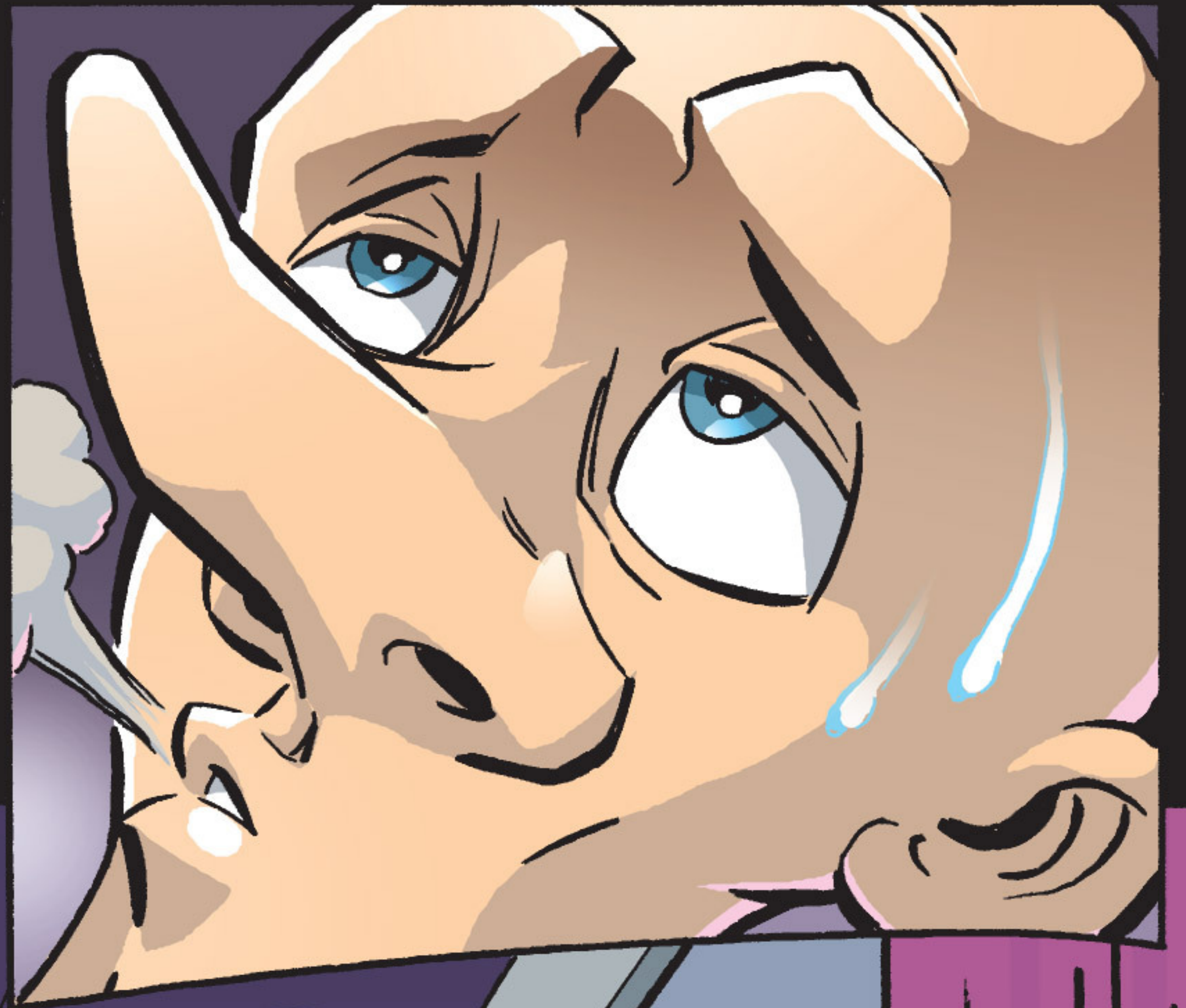
AND NOW I AM THE BUTT OF SONIC'S JOKES, AND I'M BEING YELLED AT BY HER. ALL THANKS TO YOU.

I--WELL--SHE--BUT--AH-HA-HA-HA!

PLEASE DON'T SQUASH ME.



YOU ARE NOT WORTH THE EFFORT TO SCRAPE OFF MY HOOF. I MUST REST AND MEDITATE ON HOW TO BRING DOWN THAT BLASTED SHIELD OVER NEW MOBOTROPOLIS.



MEDITATE ALL YOU WANT, YOU OAF.

I HAVE ALREADY FIGURED OUT HOW REGINA WILL CONQUER THE CITY.

AND WHEN SHE FINALLY RULES THE WORLD, I WILL BE HER IRON KING...

...AND YOU'LL BE HAMBURGER!

WHAT IS SNIVELY'S DASTARDLY NEW PLAN? COME BACK NEXT TIME TO FIND OUT.

SONIC-GRAMS

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NEW ROBOTROPOLIS:
A HIGH TECH CITY WITH
A PROTECTIVE ENERGY DOME



THE EGGDOME:
A HIGH TECH HEADQUARTERS
THAT IS ONE BIG DOME!



ROBOTROPOLIS:
ONCE A HIGH TECH CITY,
ITS RADIOACTIVE RUINS
ARE GUARANTINED UNDER
AN ENERGY DOME!



AND COMING SOON,
THE UNIQUELY DOME!

WE GET IT!
YOU LIKE DOME!



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Dear Sonic Grams,
I love Sonic Universe so much, but I don't have issue #1 of it. What's in "Mobius: 30 Years Later?"

It's a look into a possible future. You'll have to read it to find out more!

My cousin loves Shadow the Hedgehog! I wonder when the next I'll see Shadow or Team Dark?

Don't you worry; we won't forget about them. You can look forward to more adventures of Team Dark!

In the Sonic the Hedgehog issues I hope Dr. Robotnik calms down from that last battle against Sonic in #200.

**Keep feeling the speed,
Devin D.
Washington**

Well, after this issue, he seems to be a little better....right?

Dear Sonic Grams,
Your comics are awesome! And the storylines are so sweet! I have two questions for you.

1) If Shadow could age, how old would he be now?

He'd be over fifty years old now!

2) From the videogame Sonic the Hedgehog, in Soleanna, Since Mephiles is Shadow's evil double, does he not age or does he age?

Mephiles had time-control powers and was half of a god. We're pretty sure he wouldn't have aged.

My favorite characters are Sonic, Shadow and Silver. Also, is Silver in "Mobius: 30 Years Later?" I hope he's mentioned more.

**Alex C.V.
Illinois**

Yup! Silver showed up in that very storyline in Sonic Universe, which just wrapped up. Don't miss it!

Dear Sonic Grams,
I loooove your comics! Sonic Universe is, like, AWESOME! I'm a big Shadow the Hedgehog fan. I have a couple of questions.

1) Do Shadow and Rouge like each other at all?

They seem to get along okay; they respect each other at least.

2) Where could I find Sonic the Hedgehog #157?

If you don't see it on the Sonic Checklist, you can always ask your local comic store.

If you can answer those questions I will be happy with that.

**Shadow's #1 fan,
Brett B.
Arkansas**

Hey there!

Another long-time Sonic fan here, wanting to congratulate you on a job well done for making the Sonic comics even more way past cool. I can't wait for the new Knuckles arc of Sonic Universe that's coming up... Knuckles and Dr. Finitevus are my two favorite characters.

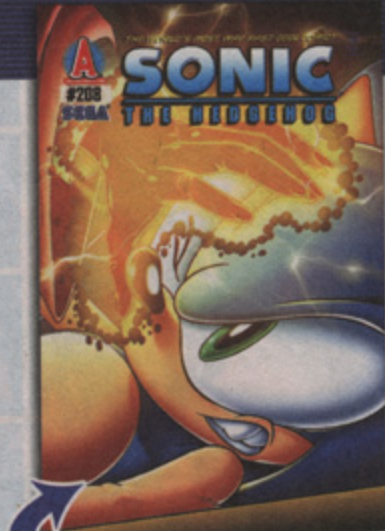
Keep up the good work, and hope to be reading when issue 300 comes our way!

**Zachary L.
California**

Hmm, speaking of Knux and Finitevus, look to your right, Zachary! --->

That's all for the letters this month, kids, but keep it tuned in for some sweet Sonic updates next issue! 2010 is shaping up to be the coolest year in BLUE BLUR history! (OK, OK... we say that every year. But to be fair, it's always true!) And as always, thanks to everyone who sent in letters, art and fan funnies!

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OH NO SHE DIDN'T!

Regina makes her play for all the marbles in IRON DOMINION pt1
ON SALE THE WEEK OF 1/18/10

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CAN YOU FEEL THE LOVE??

Enemies become allies as Knuckles' search for the truth continues in "ECHOES OF THE PAST" pt3!

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